From Laneing, the capital of the State.

From Howell, Livingston county, vis

FLORIDA.

From Alagua to Geneva, Alabama.

From Tallahassee, via Benhaden and

From Tallahassee, via Centreville, to

via Blount's Ferry and Rawlerson's Ferry,

From Columbus, Florida, to Troupville, worth county, Wisconsin.

From Pilatka to Newmansville.

From Alligator To Oleestee.

Cedar Keys, in Levy county.

to St. Mary's, Georgia,

Key West in steamers.

Fort Gallen, to Mellonsville.

to Orange Springs.

Mariana, Jackson county

Shell Point, to Sopchoppy.

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Jamestown, Sept. 30, 1848 .- 6w.

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Garden Farm.

Newport, Nov. 18, 1848.

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SELECTED TALE.

The Priest & Robber.

ed occurred in the heart of France. A Roman Catholic priest was called to prepare for his last change, a highway robber, about to perish on the scaffold. The good Representatives of the United States of Aerted three weeks for \$1, and 17 cents will be father used all his eloquence and all his merica in Congress assembled, That the arged for each subsequent insertion. Yearly efforts, to lead the prisoner to repent of his following post roads be, and the same are aggravated crimes, in vain. He observed hereby, established in the States and Tetrithat the mind of the latter was absorbed- tories, as hereafter expressed, viz: in that he seemed to heed him not. What could engage his thoughts at such an awful From Farmington, via East Strong, New

in two hours you are to appear before your North Waterford.

my brain, and I cant for the soul of me, of Piscataguis.

ing you free, and be subjecting you to a Corner, in Penobscot county. further load of guilt ?"

on that score. I have seen the scaffold and Hampden, to Bangor. too near, ever to expose myself to its terrors From Mexico to Byron, through Roxbuagain. Never will I rob or defraud more, ry, in Oxford county, and terminating the I will be henceforth a changed man.

With eyes imploring and bathed in tears, he knelt before the holy man and begged disc, and also against MARINE RISKS on favor- his life. He appealed to a kind heart, and to East Burke, Vermont, via Guildhall, saw the impression he had made. The Granby, and Victory. chapel in which they were, was lighted only by a window near the ceiling, and was Windham Centre. more than fifteen feet from the floor.

"You have but to put your chair upon mont, via Fletcher, to Bakersfield. iam Rhodes, Robert R. Stafford, Amos D. the altar," said the prisoner, "which we Smith, Resolved Waterman, Shubael Hutchins, can place near the wall; you will then ascend on the chair, and I will mount upon nia, via McKay's grist mill, through the valyour shoulders, from which I can gain the ey of the Honeyoye creek, to Wellsville. in window.

In an instant the criminal was beyond From Norristown, Montgomery county, nested to direct their applications, (which should the reach of the law. The priest remain- to Allentown, Lehigh county, via Jefferson-Applications for Insurance may be made in the long prayers of the priest who, he Millersburg, on the Susquehanna, via Llehe demanded what had become of him.

the father "for on the faith of a priest, he ville. went out by that window. I saw it with From Penningtonville, Chester county, my own eyes."

closely questioned the priest, he demand- and Pasmore's. the chair, the window, the height from the townships. than that stated by the priest. Their brains Hereford, via Middletown. were perplexed. But they could not pre- From Worcester, Montgomery county, serve their gravity at the sang froid of the to Centre Square. mable style. Broadcloths, Cassimeres, Vestings good father, while describing the flight of From Jonestown, Lebanon county, to Ready Made Clothing, Trimmings, &c. &c., con- the angel, as he styled him, as he vanished, Rherersburg, Berks county. Be this as it may, the church was power- ty, to borough of Ridgway, Elk county, via ful in those days to question the word of the northeast side of Clarion river. the priest, who assumed to himself the merit of converting a sinner into an angel Boiling Spring.

new guest. A fine capon was cooked and county of Chester. little ones surrounded the table.

as I return from my daily toil, of what I at Whitely post office, in Green county.

owe heaven and to you.' often smote him for the fraud he had prac- fice, and Paeopeck, to Tufton. ticed on the magistrate, and the danger of From New London Cross roads, in Chesletting a robber loose to deprecate on the ter county, via Oxford, to Hopewell cotton via the Holland Colony, to Grand Haven, Red Bird, Evansville, and Ellis Grove, to county. public highways, was set at ease. He em- works, in the same county eight miles. braced the peasant, and thanked his God that he had been the means of reclaiming a guilty soul from perdition, and raising a Cranberry prairie in Darke county. condemned felon to the dignity of an hon-

BY AUTHORITY.]

PASSED AT THE FIRST SESSION OF THE

THIRTIETH CONGRESS. [PUBLIC No. 97.]

AN ACT to establish certain post routes. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of MAINE.

Vineyard and New Portland, to Kingsfield. "Do you reflect," said the priest, "that From Stoneham, via East Stoneham, to

From Bangor in the county of Penobscot, "I do," said the criminal; "but I wish via East Hermon, South Levant, via Exejust now to live and repent, not to repent ter, Garland Centre, East Sangerville, and die-and the thought has come into Guilford Centre, to Monson, in the county

drive it out, that you are the man to save From Bucksport Village, in Hancock me from death, not to pave my way to it." couty, via Duck Cove Settlements, passing "But," said the priest, "even if I had the dwellings of Samuel Harriman and Jothe power; I can't see that I have; should ab Harriman, and thence through the Long I not be doing a wrong to mankind by sett- Pond Settlement and Dedham to George's

From Augusta, via South China, North "If that's the only obstacle in the way, Palermo, Freedom, Knox, Brooks, Monroe, you may, my good father, be entirely easy north part of Frankfort, Carlton's Corner,

route from Wilton to Andover at Weld.

VERMONT. From Northumberland, New Hampshire,

From West Townsend, Vermont, to From Cambridge, Lamoille county, Ver-

PENNSYLVANIA.

From Sharon, Potter county, Pennsylvathe State of New York.

ed tranquilly seated in the chair, having ville, Perkiomen bridge, Schwenkes' store, after the flight, the hangman, impatient at From Pottsville, Schuylkill county, to

> From Stroudsburg, Monroe county, to East Sterling, Wayne county, via Brack-

to the Buck post office, Lancaster county,

ed if he was in carnest. On replying in From Oil creek post office, at Titusville, to Cynthiana in Poser county. the affirmative, he ran to warn the judges. Crawford county, Columbus, Warren coun-They hastened to the chapel, examined the ty, via Rome, Eldred and Spring creek

floor, and saw no other means of escape From Trexlertown, Lehigh county, to

From Allen, Cumberland county, to

Twenty years afterwards, the holy fa- Alleghany and Ashland Furnaces, and From Ponoma, in the State of Ohio, to Grove, Gilmer, Forksville, McHenry, Ring

or place of rest. Wild beasts were prowl- From West Philadelphia, via Kellysville, ing around. Step by step, weak and des- Loob's store, Springfield, Rose Tree, and Corner, in Troy township, in Bekalb county. ponding, he still wandered farther in the Bishop's Works, to Howelsville, Delaware

hausted with hunger, fatigue and terror .- From Sunneytown, Montgomery county, ship, to Nashville, in Brown county.

He commended his soul to the care of via Spinnerstown, to Emaus, Lehigh coun-

a peasant, who examined his features atten- From Sunville, Venango county, via of Barry, to Allegan, in the county of Alle- in Wisconsin.

care and restored to life, and warmly thank- From Norristown, via Jeffersonville, ed his benefactor. On his recovery suffi- Shannonville, and Lumberville, in the coun- to Lansing, the capital of the State. ciently to eat, the table was spread for a ty of Montgomery, to Phænixville, in the

Delaware.

OHIO.

From Milan to Sandusky city.

via Quinn's Mills and Centreville, to High- Genesoe county. land P. O. in Highland county. in lugham county, to Byron in Shawassee Ftom Georgetown, via New Hope, Ben-

ton, and Greenbush, to Fayetteville From Washington, via Morrisville, Marton, Euford, and New Hope, to George- county.

From Defiance, via Brunersburg and Hicksville, to Panama. From Tiffin, via Van Buren and Independende, to Defiance. From Warren, via Hudson, to Bruns- ty of Montcalm.

From Lower Sandusky to Port Clinton. From Hagerstown to Eaton.

From Jackson Court-house, via Jackson urnace, to Portsmouth. From Waterville to Bryan. From Waterford, via Watertown, to Bar-

From Jacksonville, in Darke county, by county, to intersect the route from Apalach Houston's Cross roads and Cranberry Prai- icola to Chattahouche. rie, to Cold Water or Montezuman, in

Mercer county. From Hamilton, in Butler county, Ohio, by the way of Morning Sun, in Preble

county, to Richmond, in Indiana. From Ithaca, in Darke county, to New Castine, in the same county.

From Xenia, in Green county, by way of Byron, to Fairfield, in the same county. INDIANA.

From Putnamville, via Cataract Mills, Spencer, and Whitehall, in the county of Owen, and Stanford, in the county of Mon- to Centre Village. roe, to Springfield, in Lawrence county.

From Tipton, in Tipton county, via West Kinderhook, to Strawtown, in Hamilton From Salem, in Washington caunty, via Dovall county.

Leesville, in Lawrence county, to Bloomington, in Monroe county.

From Muncie, in Delaware county, to the county seat of Tipton dounty.

From West Unity, in Williams county, Ohio, via Angola, to La Grange Centre, in the State of Indiana.

From St. Joseph, via Williams Centre. Bannersburg, to Defiance, in the State of

From Leesburg to Wolf Lake. From Bellville, in the county of Hendricks, via Danville, to North Salem.

From Brownstown, in Jackson county, via David Bowman's, to Nashville, in ler, Enterprise, and Mellonville, to headwa- and Mount Carroll, to Savannah, on the Brown county. From Blufton, in Wells county, to Fort

Wayne, in Allen county. From La Grange to Goshen. From Monticello, in White county, to

Lafayette, in Tippecanoe county. From Perklinavile, in Madison county, via New Lincaster, to Tipton, in Tipton

From Evansville, in Vanderburg county,

From Meten or Fulton, in Fulton county. via Perrysburg, Niconza, Laketon, North Manchester, Liberty Mills, South Whitely. to Whitely.

From Washington, in Davis county, vin Faverteville, in Lawrence county, in Bedford, in said county.

From Jasper, in Dubois county, to Troy. in Perry county.

From Evansville, in the State of Indiana. via Albion and Fairfield, to Salem. in the State of Illinois.

From Warsaw, in Gallatin county, to to Mount Carroll. New Liberty, by the way of Glencoe and From Hollidaysburg, Blair county, via Poplar Greve, in the State of Kentucky.

diana, to Coldwater, Michigan, via Biddle's Wisconsin. From Brownstown, in Jackson county, Indiana, to David Bowman's, in creek town

MICHIGAN. From Lansing, in the county of logham. Eaton county, and Hastings, in the county Mill, and New Pennsylvania, to Shullsburg.

houn, to Lansing, in the county of Ingham, Rock, Paine's Point, Daysville, and Oregon,

Eaton. From Marshall, via Olivet and Charlotte.

From Hastings, in the county of Barry. to Vermontville, thence through Wheaton's county. every luxury the farm afforded set before From Avondale, Chester county, Penn- settlement, in the town of Chester; thence him. A female neatly attired, with eight sylvania, to Stanton, Newcastle county, to Hovey's settlement, in the town of Ben - Girardeau, in Missouri, via Thebes, Santa ton; and thence to Lansing, the seat of gov. Fe. and Smithland, to Cairo.

From Hillsdale, Michigan, to Montpelier, Davsville.

From Kalam zoo, in the county of Kal- ant Prairie, Knox Cross corners, Liberty amazo, via Austin's Lake. Vicksburg, John and English Prairie, to Richmond in Illi. W. Backey's, Mendon, Sand Lake, Storges' nois, From Brooklyn, in the county of Jack river.

son, to Grass Lake, in the county a foresaid. From Dexter to Lansing, the capital of son, in Wisconsin. From Paw Paw, via Almina Centre, in Winchester, in Scott county.

Van Buren county, to Alamo, in Kalama- From Mount Morris, via Niles' From Providence post office, via John zoo county, intersecting at that point the Woodruff's corners, Farewell's Ferry, and Mills, Fayette county, to Newman, Coweta The good father, whose conscience had Cobb, Hollistersville, Hamlinton post of route from Kalamazoo to Otsego, in the Rock Run in Minois to Madison, in Wis-county, county of Allegan. From Allegan, in the county of Allegan,

> in the county of Ottowa. From Pontiac, in Oakland county, via From Chickasaw, in Mercer county, to Campbell's Corners, to Farmer's Creek, in Grove, Wilmington, Rock Creek, Bulbonia. From Haleyondale, at the fifty-mile sta-Lapeer county.

in steamers.

Mills, Lafavette Grove, Kelly's Mills, Stillman, and Kishwaukie, to Rockford.

From Ottows, via Norway, Newark, Long Grove, and Oswego, to Naperville. From Peru, via Como and Genesee Grove,

From Galesburg to Knoxville.

From Wheeling, (Illmon,) via Long Hamilton, in the county of Steuben, in In- Elizabeth and Waterville, to Summit, in

From Farmington, via Fairview, Ellis ville, and Virgil, to Macomb. From Dixon, via Prophetstown, Portland,

Sharon, Green river, and Camden, to Rock Island. From Belvidere, (Illinois,) via Roscoo,

From Sycamore, via Coltonsville, South From Battle Creek, in the county of Cat- Grove, Hick's Mill, Lindenwood, White

> From Wilmington, in Will county, via Mazon, to Pontiac, in Livingston county. From Charleston, in Coles county, via Sullivan, in Moultrie, to Decatur, in Macon

From Thompson's Ferry, opposite Cape ty, and Alabaham Creek, to Waresborough,

From Peru, via Perkin's Grove, Ovid. From Marshall, via Enton Rapids, to Palestine Grave, Iules Grove. Lee Centre, Franklin Grove, and Light House Point, to

From Elizabeth, via Freeport, to Rock

From Southport. (Wisconsin.) via Plens

From Freeport, via Cedar Creek Mills

From Carrolton, in Green county, to

consin.

Chester, in Randolph county. From Joliet, via Jackson Creek, Reed's Florence, Stewart county.

From Brighton, Livingston county, via Lafavette, in Indiana. From Sabina, in Clinton county, Ohio Hartland and Tyrone, to Fentonville, in From Wilmington, via Horse Creek,

Yates's Farm, Limestone, Simmon's Farm and Spring Creek, to Middleport.

From Fairfiel, in Wayne county, to May ville, in Clay county. From Littlefort, via Wentworth, Angola. tinsville, Lynchburg, Dodsonsville, Prince- Josco and Whiteoak, to legham, legham Actioch, English Prairie, Blevin's Mills,

Solon, Richmond, Alden, Cogswell, Bigfoot From Bronson, in the county of Branch Prairie. Burton corners, Wilmot and Manvia Gilead, to the township of Noble, in the ley's Prairie, to Beloit, in Wisconsin. From Pittsfield, via Washington, New

From Ada, in the county of Kent, vin Canton, Cincinnatti, Piketon in Illinois, Sanyna and Ousco, to Greenville, in the coun | Rullsport, and Frankfort, to New London, in Missouri. From Virginia in Cass county, via From Milton, Santa Rosa county via Es Keeling Berry's and Otway B. Nanco's, to

cambia county, and Nathausville, to Sparts, to Petersburg, in Menard county. From Peru, via Selby, Princeton and From Milton, via Alagua and Uchiana, to Crandall's Ferry, to Rock Island. From York, in Clark county, via Melrose,

Martinsville, and Salisbury, to Charleston, From Mariana to Ochocee, Calhoun in Coles county.

From Freeport, in Stephenson county, to Elizabeth, in Jo Davies county. From Mount Sterling, in Brown county.

to New Liberty, in Highland county. From Naples, in Mergan county, to Perry, in Pike county. From St. Mark's, via Newport, Wacissa, From Jerseyville, via Otter Creek and

and Marion, to Monticello, Jefferson county. Grafton, in Illinois, to St. Charles in Mis-From Quincy, via Rocky Comfort, to Re- souri. From Mount Sterling, via Liberty and From Quincy to Seclude, Gadsden count. Richland in Adams county, and Kinderbook, in Pike county, to Hannibald, in Mis-

From Jasper, in the county of Hamilton, souri, From Peru, via Troy Grove, to Earlville. From Mount Carrol, via Pleasant Valley, to Howardsville.

From Coos, via Fing Creek and Lyons to From Alligator, via Ocean Pond, Bar. Chicago. ber's, and Brandy Branch, to Jacksonville, From Dorr, in McHenry county, via Erin and Highland Prairie, to Geneva, in Wat-

From Dorr, vin Hope and Boon's mills, From Newmansville, via Wacassa, tu Hebron, to Richmond, in McHenry county. From Hickory Hill, in Marion county, to From Newmansville, via Madisonborough, McLanesborough, in Hamilton county.

From Littlefort, viu Gage's Lake, Hains. ville, Forkville, Lamar, and Merona, to From Micanopy, via Fort Clark, to Fork Crystal Lake, in McHenry county. From Jacksonville, Florida, via Had- From Mount Sterling, in Brown county,

dock's, Kirkland's and Nassau Court-house, via Garvish Mill, to Griggsville, in Pike county. From Nassau Court-house to Fernanding. From Sycamore, via South Grove, Hick's From Jacksonville, vin Mandarin, Black mills, Lindenwood, White Rock, Daysville, Creek, Picolati, Pilatki, Volusin, Fort But Oregon, Mount Morris, Chamber's Grove,

ters of St John's river by water, and from Mississippi river thence by land via I dian river, Polis, San From Rockford, via Kishwaukie, Mouth Lucis, and Jupitor, to Miami, Dade county, of Stillman's Creek, Daysville, Lee Centre,

From Pensacola by sea, via St. Andrew's and Ovid, to Peru. and St. Joseph's, to Apalachicola; from From Charleston, via Springfield and Apalachicola by sen, via St. Mary's and Co- Perry Brashear's, to Greenup, in Cumber-

dar Keys, to Tampa; and from Tampa by land county. sea, via Savasota and Charlotte barbor, to From Ewington, via Cochran's Grove and Sullivan to Decatur. From Greenville to Alton. From Tampa, via Manatee, to Sarasota.

From Tampa, via Hitchepucksussa and From Springfield, via Athens, New Market, Walker's Grove, Quiver, and Liver-From Key West by sea, via Indian Key, pool, to Conton, in Fulton county. Key Largo, Miami, Jupitor, San Lucie, In-From Springfield, via Mount Pulaski. dian river, and Smyrna, to St. Augustine, Clinton and Marian, to Mount Pleasant.

From Dillon, in Tazewelt county, via Mackinaw Point, Hittle's Grove, and Mount From Peru, via Troy Grove, Ovid Dowy's Hope, to Waynesville, in De Witt county. From Rock Island via Camden Mills, Orion, Andover, Red Oak Grove, Walnut

Grove, Victoria, Rochester, Brimfield, and Kickapootown, to Peoria, From Blue Island, via Cooper's Grove. Chelsea, Wallingford, and Bloomvile, to

Bulbonia. From Greenville, in Bond county, to Staunton, in Macoupin county.

From Metropolis city to Jonesboro. From Chicago, via Gross Point, La Pear, and Oak Hill, to Littlefort.

From Middleport, via Worth, Quitman, and Butler, to U.banna. From Dixon, via Wilson's Mills, (south side of Elkham Grove, Milledgeville, and

Black Oak Grove, to Savannah. From Winslow, in Stephenson county. via Warren, to Millville, in Jo Davies coun-

From Dutchman's Point, via Sherman and Emmett, to Littlefort. From Case, via Barber's corners, Du

Page, and Vermont settlement, to Oswego. GEORGIA. From Griffin to Newnan.

From Albany, in Baker county, to Thom asville, in Thomas county. From Barrington Ferry, in McIntosh county, via Penlam's store in Wayne coun-

in Ware county. From Carrolton, via Laurel Hill, to Frank-From Carrolton to Van Wert.

From Troupville, Georgia, via Clyattsville, to Columbus, in Florida. From Madison, via Monticello, Seven Islands, and Jackson, to Griffin.

From Blairsville, Union county, to Mount Yonah, flabersham county. From Dalton, Georgia, to Benton, Ten-

From Dalton, via Spring Place, Murray From Dexter, via Pinckney, to Howell, and Oneco. (Illinois) to Monroe and Madi county, and Elijay, Gilmer county, to Dahlenega. From Rome, Floyd county, via Cave

Spring, to Jacksonville, Alabama. From Griffin, Pike county, via English

From Raysville, Columbia county, via From Waterloo, in Monroe county, via John Bentley's, to Lincolnton, in Lincoln From Traveller's Rest, Dooley county, to

Mount Lagua, Middleport, and Millford, to tion on the Central railroad, in Seriven county, to Reidsville, Tatnall county. (Cancluded on fourth page.)

Forty years ago, the scenes here relat-

thought, might have put half a dozen souls wellyn, Tremont, Bearmont, Wiconisco, on the road to heaven in lose time, knock. and Elizabethsville. ed at the door. Not seeing the prisoner, "He must be an angel of light," said leyville, Priceburg, Indian Hill, and Coves-

The hangman was in a maze. Having via Coopersville, Green 'Free Inn, Barts' to take him along with him to the skies .- From Borough of Clarion, Clarion coun-

in an hour. ther was lost in the woods of Ardennes .- Weakland's, to Newman's Mills, Indiana Denmark, up to the St. Joseph river to wood, Geneva, Spring Prairie, East Troy, The night came on-he was without food county. mazes of the woods. His frame sank ex- county. heaven, and laid him down to die. He had ty. laid there some hours, when the light of a From Emlentown, Venango county, to via Queida, Chester, and Vermontville, in Force's Bridge. Davis's Mills, Rightsell's lantern shone on his face. It was held by the mouth of Tionesta creek. tively. He aided him to rise. With his Wallaceville, to Demsey. sinewy arm he bore the exhausted form of From Cushingville, Potter county, to the priest to a neat farm-house, delightfully Spring Mills, in the State of New York. situated in a fertile plain on the skirts of From Allentown, Lehigh county, via via Bellvue and Charlotte, in the county of to Mount Morris. the woods. The father was nursed with Schneeksville, to Kirn's Mills.

"Father," exclaimed the peasant apart From Gap post office, Lancaster county, ernment. to him, after they had finished their repast, via Hat and Intercourse, to New Holland. "a wife, children, farm, all these blessings From West Penn, Schuylkill county, to Lansing, the capital of the State. I owe to you. You saved my life when I Lehighton, Carbon county. was condemned to die on the scaffold; I From Smith's ferry, Beaver county, via have, in turn saved yours. I have redeemed Ohioville, to Darlington. my pledge made to you. Wandering a From Dunningsville, Washington counmendicant, chance brought me to this house, ty, via Vanceville, to Hillsborough. Bridge, and intersecting the Bliss Road, contain- where, by industry and honest dealing, I From Pittsburg, via Breakneck, Whites- Pracie, to Lima, in the State of Indiana. ing about 25 acres more or less. Those wishing won the confidence of the father of my town, and Prospect, to Brownington. wife, who, on his death, left us this farm .- From Williamsport, Lycoming county, I have prospered ever since in my affairs .- viy Loyalsock valley, to Cherry, Sullivan My wife has been a real blessing to me, county. and my children, with their ruddy faces From Greensborough to J. E. Taylor's the State. and their sweet smiles, remind me each day store, and thence to intersect the old route

Laws of the United States,

THE NEWPORT MERCURY, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1848.

"THE GOLD COUNTRY."-New statements reach us from every quarter with regard to the newly found treasures in California, and great excitement on the subject ter from the Rev. Walter Colton, Alcalde at telligence from Europe. August.

tained to exist, extends some two hundred paper has been scanned for some time.

loose in a forest, would root up ground nuts. ent week will even attain that number. Some get eight or ten ounces a day; and IRBLAND .- In the case of Martin vs. the Means, and 10,000 extra copies ordered to the least active one or two. They make Queen, the Chief Justice pronounced judge- be printed. the most who employ the wild Indians to ment on the 18th inst. All the objections Mr. Ashmun's resolution for printing the hunt it for them. There is one man who raised by the prisoner's counsel were over- debates of the House in the Intelligencer has sixty Indians in his employ; his profits ruled. On Sunday a communication was and Union, has met with unexpected oppoare a dollar a minute. The wild Indians made to Mr. Martin to the effect that in sition. know nothing of its value, and wonder what consequence of the delicate state of his The Committee on Commerce was authe pale faces want to do with it; they will health, he would not be removed from his thorized to report upon the expediency of give an ounce of it for the same weight of present place of confinement "for some altering the laws for storing goods; also the coined silver, or a thimble full of glass beads months to come. or a glass of grog. And white men them- The argument of the writ of errors, in Duncan's Island. selves often give an ounce of it, which is the case of Mr. Smith O'Brien, was opened worth at our mint eighteen dollars or more, before the judges of the Queen's Bench on tion instructing the Committee on Ways for a bottle of brandy, a bex of soda powders, Tuesday. or a plug of tobacco.

stick another pin there. I know another completely decisive. man who got out of a basin in a rock, not As the epoch of the election approaches, larger than a wash-bowl, two pounds and a timid people begin to feel alarm, and those half of gold in fifteen minutes-so stick who are not detained by business or other ments would I believe, did I not know the the election, is known. An insurrectionary members all remaining the same as at the men personally, and know them to be plain movement by the Red Republicans and matter of fact men-men who open a vein Socialists is what is feared

with a machine made like a cradle, only would attend such a measure. longer and open at the foot, while at the A disgusting feature of the cheap shilling closed. primitive state, one to pamper pride, and Pierre Leroux, Prudhone, and Louis Blane. question, and moved a reconsideration of in his purpose, which appeared to be to

A large party, well mounted, are follow- whole of Germany. ing up the channel of the Sacramento, to Letters from Vienna, of the 19th instant, discover where this gold, found in its banks contain accounts of a solemn military mass, comes from; and imagine that near the riv- which was performed, on the 18th inst., a ers fount they will find the great yellow few miles from that capital, for the repose mass itself. But they might as well hunt of the soul of Count Latour. A gigantic the fleeting rainbow. The gold was thrown catafalque was erected surrounded by 15,rocks and sands in which it is found; and of artillery fired salvos every minute. of the elements, vivid traced of volcanic brilliant staff, passed the troops in review fire. It often encases a crystal of quartz, after the ceremony was concluded. everywhere out of the earth, and sparkling that he was permitted a soldier's death .a bird's nest.

The whole country is now moving on to sation throughout Germany. among a race of women, who, by some, an- eyes have been turned towards Berlin. omulous provision of nature, multiplied In that city the passive resistance of the cluding slavery from each. therefore plenty of gold, but little to eat, centrate their power like the inhabitants of wall and others, for constructing the Pana- he continued his ride to East Cambridge, and still less to wear. Our supplies must the towns. come from Oregon, Chili, and the United General Wrangel has steadily followed order for Monday. duction of these mines.

FOREIGN NEWS.

The steamship CANADA, Capt. Judkins, seems to be growing up in all our cities .- from Liverpool, 25th November, via Hali-A lively account of the state of affairs fax, arrived at New York, early Thursday is given in the following extract from a let- morning. She brings seven days later in- took seat in place of the late Mr. Dixon II.

has been found in large quantities on the than one quarter of a million. The stock dered, 29 to 21. Sacramento, Feather River, Yerba River, of gold and silver in the Bank vaults now Mr. Slicer was re-elected Chaplain, rethe American Fork-North and South amounts to nearly £13,700,000. Money ceiving 39 of 47 votes. branches-the Cosamer, and in many dry continues abundant for commercial purpos- Mr. Douglass reported a bill to make ravines, and indeed on the tops of high hills, es; but there is no relaxation of the prudent California and New Mexico a State read The tract of country in which it is ascer- circumspection with which all mercantile twice and laid on the table

miles North and South, and some sixty The number of cases of Cholera reported presented to both houses, asking to contract East and West; and these limits are every from the first now amount to 1215, the vic- for transporting Government property across day enlarging by new discoveries. On the tims to 610; the recoveries have been 220, the contemplated railroad over the Isthmus streams where the gold has been subjected whilst 375 remain under treatment, or the of Panama. to the action of water and sand, it exists in result not stated. Of this mortality a much After the transaction of some other unfine grains; on the hills and among the greater proportion has taken place in Scot- important business the Senate adjourned. clefts of the rocks it is found in rough, jag- land, the number of deaths in England hav- House. - The Committees announced ged pieces of a quarter or half an ounce in ing been from 250 to 300, whilst beyond are substantially the same as last year. The weight, and sometimes two or three onnees. the Tweed they have reached 368. The rules of last session were adopted, appropri-At present the people are running over deaths from Cholera during the past week ation bills having preference over special the country and picking it out of the earth in the metropolitan districts, were only 54, orders. here and there, just as a thousand hogs, let and we do not think the deaths of the pres- The Secretary of the Treasury's report

As to the quantity the diggers get, take a to doubt the anticipations universally prev- ples of the Tariff of 1842. Yeas 96, nays venturous men as must be drawn together few facts as evidence. I know seven men alent, that Louis Napoleon will be the suc- 93. who worked seven weeks and two days, cessful candidate for the Presidency of Sundays excepted, on Feather river; they France. Each successive day, however reported by Mr. Goggin.-Referred. employed on an average fifty Indians, and brings us fresh intelligence, with all the al-

275 pounds of pure gold. I know the men The concentrated and organized power American citizens as prisoners in Ireland. and have seen the gold, and know what they of the whole Government is being put forth state to be a fact, -so stick a pin there. I to secure the success of General Cavaignae; know ten other men who worked ten days and already, in a great many of the departin company, employed no Indians, and av- ments, this influence is producing an effect eraged in these ten days \$1500 each-so which would be in almost any other case

The gold is obtained in a variety of ways sent a project of a law for closing the clubs.

A communication was the received from bare a very beneficial effect. There are his books, bass viol, and some of his tools,

other end, instead of a squalling infant, a-head banquets was exemplified last Sunthings most prized in this world, gold and who were dressed in silks and satins, drank of Mr. Morse was laid on the table.

the other to pamper the worm. Some The German Empire. - Central Europe Monday's vote, ordering the engrossment live a week or two with his victims, borrow forego cradles and bowls as too tame an oc- continues in a state of convulsion, Vienna of Mr. Cobb's bill for the security of the or beg of them all the money and other dash up the mountain gorges, and over the ity; but in the whole of the Prussian prov- bation of both Houses for every appropria- depart to new quarters. steep hills, picking the gold from the clefts inces the cities are in antagonism to the tion for it. of the rocks with their bowie knives,-a rural districts, and unless some adjustment A discussion ensued between Messrs Ev- "grass widow," and at the first salutation much better use to make of these instru- of the quarrel can be brought about at Ber- ans, Cobb, White, and Collamer, and the he threw his arms around her, and with ments than picking the life out of men's lin, between the democrats and the court, question upon reconsideration was decided many caresses and endearing expressions bodies, for what is a man worth with that we see no present hope of a speedy termi- in the affirmative. The bill was then re- declared himself to be her long lost husband nation of the troubles which threaten the ferred to the Committee on Accounts.

up from the bed of the ocean with the 000 men under arms, while twelve batteries still bears, where it has escaped the action Prince Windischgratz accompanied by a

in which the pebble lies as if it had slum- Besides Blum whose execution we have bered there from eternity; its beautiful re- recorded, Messenhauser the Commandant pose sets human artifice at defiance. How of Vienna, has been sentenced to death by strange that this ore should have lain here, hanging; and it was only at the urgent inscattered about in all directions, peeping tercessions of the unhappy man's friends in the sun, and been trod upon for ages by He was shot on the 16th, Prince Windischwhite men and savages, and by the emissa- gratz refusing to delay the execution of ries of every scientific association in the the sentence until the Emperor's answer to world, and never till now have been discov- a petition to save the prisoner could be re- quently laid on the table. ered. What an ass man is, with all his ceived. On the 17th an old man was also learning! He stupidly stumbles over hills executed in the city ditch; even his name of gold to reach a rare pepper pod, or rifle was not known. It is needless to say that in the District of Columbia. Lost. these executions have created a deep sen-

the mines. Monterey, San Francisco, So- A strict state of seige is maintained at nora, San Jose, and Santa Cruz, are emp- Vienna, and the people in spite of their retied of their male population. A stranger luctance have been compelled to give up coming here would suppose he had arrived their arms. However, during the week all

their images without the presence of the people to the martial law put in force by other sex. But not a few of the women Gen. Wrangle has continued up to the lahave gone too, especially those who had test dates. No blood, however, has been tion on the table. Lost. got out of tea-for what is a woman with shed. The Assembly has been again and out her tea-pot-a pythonese without her again dispersed by order of Gen. Wrangle, shaking tripod-an angel that has lost its but it has passed a resolution declaring the lyre. Every bowl, tray, warming pan, and collection and payment of all taxes to be ilpiggin, have gone to the gold mines. Every legal, simply with the view of stirring up the thing, in short, that has a scoop in it that provinces into insurrection. Breslau and will hold sand and water. All the iron other towns are perfectly ripe to take up the has been worked up into crow-bars, pick- sword; the peasantry however, are of dif- olution for taking a new census. Agreed to axes, and spades. And all these roll back ferent opinion; but the latter being spread Mr. Benton offered a resolution authorizupon us in the shape of gold. We have over a great extent of country cannot con- ing the contract asked for by Messrs. Aspin-

States. Our grain gold, in exchange for up his disarmament of the Burgher Guard. Mr. Butler pronounced a eulogy on Mr. coin, sells for nine and ten dollars the In the mean time, deputations have been Sims member of the House and the Senate ounce, though it is well known to be worth going to Potsdam and back to Berlin, em-adjourned to Monday. at the mint in Philadelphia eighteen dollars ployed in emploring the King to retrace House.-Mr. Wallace announced the and twenty chickens and two shoats, was \$3000 for it. He has kindly allowed it to the ounce at least. I could give you forty his steps, dissolve the Bradenburg Ministry, death of Mr. Sims, one of the members from served among other matters. This throws be exhibited there, to assist in raising a On the 1st inst., James P. Langford was more illustrations of the extent and pro- and throw himself into the South Carolina, and the House adjourned the "four and twenty black birds" into the building of an asylum for des- executed at Bradford, Pa., for the murder of

THIRTIETH CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, Monday, Dec. 11. SENATE .- Mr. Fitzpatrick, of Alabama, Lewis.

Monterey. It was written on the 29th of England. The Bank of England re- A warm discussion took place between turns, notwithstanding partial transmissions Mr. Dix and others on printing 20,000 cop-The gold discoveries still continue-every of specie to the continent, still exhibit an jes of the Secretary of the Treasury's Reday brings some new deposit to light. It increase of bullion to the extent of more port. Twenty thousand copies were or-

A memorial from Mr. Aspinwal was

was referred to the Committee of Ways and

expediency of erecting a light house on

Mr. Eckbert, of Penn., moved a resoluand Means to inquire into the expediency FRANCE.—At present we see no reason of reporting a bill based upon the princi-

A resolution was adopted, enquiring of got out in these seven weeks and two days, ternations of hope and fear for the result. - the President, the cause of the detention of

> WASHINGTON, Tuesday Dec. 12. SENATE .- The Committee on Mileage reported a bill repealing the former act.

> Mr. Westcott, of Fa., offered a resolution

some wash it out of sand with bowls, some He declines incurring the odium which the President, and the Senate then went into Executive session, and the doors were A SINGULAR IMPOSTOR has visited se-

there is a grating upon which the earth is day. The chief guests were women; who States for petitions. Mr. Morse, of La., the ladies believe he was their long absent thrown, and then water; both pass through "fraternised" with the men, and insisted in thought that it was proper that there should son, brother or husband, he having assumthe grating, -the cradle is rocked, and be- their speeches upon the principle of entire be a Committee on the Smithsonian legacy, ed all their different characters to fit himoff the earth, and the gold is deposited in refused their rights they would recover them day's negativing such a Committee. On particular case. the bottom of the cradle. So the two by artifice, if not by force. These ladies, motion of Mr. Pollock of Penn., the motion He was familiar enough with the history

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Dec. 13.

between Messrs. Benton, Rusk, Calhoun, the Committee on Territories and ordered and finally succeeded in establishing his to be printed, by yeas 33, nays 14.

to the Committee on Territories.

Various petitions were then received, and out, he decamped. the Senate adjourned.

House.-The Select Committee to report upon the expediency of reporting the House that he was her brother, who had been debates, was ordered by the casting vote of the Speaker, but the subject was subse-

Mr. Greeley's bill discouraging speculation, and providing homesteads on the Public lands, was referred.

ing the Committee on Territories to bring went away. in a bill forthwith, establishing a territorial government in Oregon and California, ex-

Mr. Root's resolution was then adopted. Yeas 107, navs 80. Mr. Robinson moved a reconsideration;

WASHINGTON, Thursday, Dec. 14. Senate.-Mr. Cameron presented a res-

ma railroad, which was made the special where he was safely lodged in jail.

over to Monday.

BY THE MAILS.

CALIFORNIA GOLD .- The first accounts which reached us of the marvellous richness of the gold region in California were regarded almost as fabulous; and although rumor after rumor arrived of the success of the men engaged in searching for gold, and of the mania which had seized the whole population, the story was still too large for lief. But we must yield our credulity to the letter from Col. Mason, the Military Governor of California, to the Secretary of War, and which goes greatly into detail upon the subject, and which was accompanied by a valuable specimen of the precious metal. The letter fully confirms the wildest and most extravagant stories that we have heard from the gold region. Letters have also been received from Com. Jones, from the Rev. Walter Colton, Alcalde of Monterey, and from others, all confirming the accounts. Some of the gold has been assayed, and has been found to be 21 1-2 carats fine, which is within half a carat of the quality of coin and finer than the gold found in the Southern States. There can no longer be any doubt of the

abundance of the mineral and of its purity. Whether the supply is as inexhaustible as is represented, may well be questioned .-The history of this continent affords several instances where the precions metals have been found in such abundance as to create an excitement similar to that which now rages in California, but a short time has exhausted the supply. It may be so in this instance; it is safest to assume that it will be so until we have some better evidence to the contrary. We hear of men and companies going out in all directions for this new Dorado. Cargoes of provisions, clothing and supplies of every kind are shipped for California, where they command the most extravagant prices. It is to be feared that such a collection of adthere, the exciting nature of their pursuits, A bill to reduce the rates of postage was and the weakness of the legal authority, may lead to excesses and violence.

Prov. Journal.

HYDROPHOBIA. - Many of our exchange papers furnish melancholy accounts of hyrophobia in different places-in some of which, the agonies of the sufferers are described as most excruciating. Some of the cases described as hydrophobia, we perto inquire into the expediency of the act they are not menomania. Such is the a- error .- N. Y. Post. impoting duties on Spanish vessels-adopt'd. larm created by these reports, that too much On motion of Mr. King, the Senate went care cannot be taken not to circulate them of that class who believe that God in have supposed him to be in possession of nto the election of Chairmen and Standing except upon the best evidence—and when tended us all to live centuries, but by a disanother pin there! Not one of these state- ties here, are preparing to remove till after Committees. There was no alteration, the the facts of hydrophobia does exist in any place, are well authenticated, too much days to a score or more, nor do we place change which was about his person. Indicare cannot be taken to protect the com- implicit confidence in the statement that viduals have been employed for some days Mr. Dix called up the Harbor Bill, and munity against it. Every dog in any way Adam was nine hundred and thirty years in clearing out the building, and teaming of gold just as coolly as you would a potato

A great number of members of the Asmoved its reference to the Committee on exposed in such infested district, should be old, though we do believe a little more ataway the immense collection, which, of

> veral towns in Middlesex County during House .- The Speaker called upon the the last summer. His game was to make

and character of the different persons whom

In one instance he visited a buxom hoped she would forget the past and receive him again as her "liege lord." &c. The lady could not recognize his features, and SENATE .- Mr. Benton presented a me- sent for advice to her relations and friends, morial from the people of New Mexico for who came and examined the man. He Territorial Government; and a long and answered their interrogatories quite coranimated debate ensued upon the memorial, rectly, generally, and in cases where he could not, he plead the loss of memory ocand others. The memorial was referred to casioned by lapse of time and trouble, &c., veracity and reformation so far that he was The California Bill was called up, and invited to remain on trial, which he did for Mr. Butler gave notice that he should re- several days, when, having borrowed some sist Mr. Douglass's motion to refer the bill money of a relation, and thinking, probably, that the widow's friends might find him

His last attempt at imposture was in Malden, where he represented to a lady absent many years and was supposed to be dead. She was very much surprised, of course, and upon the return of her husband Mr. Palfrey asked leave to bring in a bill at noon, told him the story and introduced repealing the laws upholding the slave trade the "lost brother" to him. Without manifesting any incredulity to the stranger, the husband (who is a constable and somewhat famous as rogue catcher) invited him to a ride about the town to let him see the Mr. Root offered a resolution, instruct- alterations which had taken place since he

The invitation was accepted and they went to ride together, but had not ridden far nor conversed long-before the husband A call of the House was ordered, when had his previous suspicions of his veracity Mr. Holl of Mo., moved to lay the resolu- pretty strongly confirmed. To settle the question, he showed him the foundations of the old Baptist Meeting House, which was removed a few years ago, and asked it he remembered what sort of a building used to stand upon them. He replied in the affirmative, and described the building,

which he said was an old farm house, and also the old occupants, with whom he pretended to have been very familiar. Regardng these evidences as conclusive, the brother" was taken before a magistrate, d at the conclusion of the examination Bunker Hill Aurora.

close of next year it is estimated that there and a half high. There are winds

new head, to be called the secretary of the in that situation. interior. The whole expense would not exceed \$20,000 per annum.

on, by his own hand, is now explained .- conceivable thing which could have been Lady Middleton was originally a dairy collected by a person of his habits, for per maid, or something like that, possessing haps fifteen or twenty years. A stove wa great personal attractions. She drew his placed in the middle of his room on the first attention, was educated in the best style floor, where he cooked his food-and so by his means, became very accomplished, closely packed was the room that there was and he married her. In 1847 she deserted hardly space left for a chair. The bunk him in consequence of some improper con- on which he slept part of the time was in sitor of her own. From that time he was ding we shall not attempt to describe. foundest grief. It is said that on the very judge, as he had a bass viol of his own manday on which he took his own life, a letter ufacture, and the bellows and some of the had arrived from his wife announcing her pipes of an organ. He had a blacksmith's willingness to return to him. It was to forge and tools, a shoemaker's bench and late. The deceased was a man of "gene- tools, and almost every other kind of too rous feelings and quick sensibilities." and which he could use, most of which he made was much beloved by all who knew him .- himself. His library consisted of a Bible The person he had thus elevated from Buchan's Domestic Medicines, a very old obscurity was unable to overlook a single Commentary on the Hebrews hymn books, fault in the man to whom she owed her and a few other volumes and pamphlets .ceive, are represented as doubtful, whether position, and he fell the victim of a single In his attic was a bedstead, bedding, chairs,

> encitations, and who do not think it possi- take with him to his new abode. ble that they can be sick, but what is the result of their boasting ? They go on day after day, week after week, undermining

health .- Boston Evening Gazette. the suit of the city of Philadelphia vs. the be sent to one of the West India islands. Northern Liberties and Spring Garden, to The vessel captured, if we do not misrestrain these Districts from the free use take, was a British bottom, condemned at of the Schuvlkill water, to which suit they Key West as unseaworthy, purchased by were successful, was the snug little sum of Americans, and sent to Rio Janeiro, under \$10,000, or \$5,000 a piece. The Dis- a sea letter, and thence proceeded to Afritricts deemed the charge exorbitant and ca .- Boston Advertiser, would not pay it. The learned counsel have now agreed to abate three-fifths, each, Spring Garden still stands out.

New York Post.

fortune and vast recklessness, was in the nity of restoring it to its owner. habit of indulging in those dangerous and Another instance of "honesty to be comthe jester and said :

y-well put him in the bill!" Boston Times.

college, the faculty being determined to left no doubt as to the pature of his malady. who was present as a spy was kicked and security of Mr. Parsons. snowballed, and had to run for his life.

C., recently, a pie containing one hundred one of the New Orleans bankers, who gave western journals. titute females.

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF THE AN ECCENTRIC CHARACTER .- Many per-TREASURY .- Mr. Walker's report is pub- sons in passing a small wooden buildi lished. It is very long and unquestionably near the corner of Columbia and Market able, containing a great mass of important streets in this city, have expressed a cur information. The total resources of the osity to know for what purpose it was used year, including a balance of \$1,701,251 on It measures twelve by fifteen feet. A high hand at its commencement, were \$58,894,- fence encloses a yard on one side and one 701-total expenses \$58,241,167-bal- end of the building. No door or wind ance in the treasury \$153,534. At the is visible, though the building is a st will be on hand a balance of \$2,853,694 -- however, on one side of the house, but they in 1850, it is put at \$5,040,542. The have always been kept closed by weode secretary states the average annual revenue shutters. The house was white-washed under the tariff of 1846 at \$30,902,489 .- and in the summer some wild grape vine The secretary recommends that all pro- were to be seen running over the fences. ducts and fabrics may cross the isthmus of It was built about ten years since by Jos Panama, under the provision of our treaty ah Leavitt, the person who has occupied with New Grenada; that foreign goods since that time. He has lived in Cam may be taken from our warehouses and bridge nearly half a century, and for about landed in our ports on either ocean or the ten years he has kept almost entirely b gulf, in the same manner that goods now himself, except when employed by some warehoused in any port, may be taken into the neighbors in gardening, and at speand rewarehoused in another port; and work as he could perform, very seldom al that reciprocal trade be established with lowing any person to enter his house, or the Canadas in all articles the growth, even to pass through the gate. On Saturmanufacture or production of either coun- day last he applied to a neighbor, and requested him to procure admission for him The secretary advises also the detach- to the Almshouse. This was immediately ment of the Indian office and the pension done, and he is now in comfortable quar office from the war department; that of the ters. He states that he is seventy six years patent office from the state department; old, and that having recently twice faller and the organization of them all under a in the streets, he feared that he might di

On examining his premises, they were found to be, as might have been supposed in a most loathsome and filthy condition-The cause of the death of Lord Middle- filled from cellar to attic with almost every uct between his Lordship and some lady this apartment; the appearance of the bed-

changed man, and displayed the pro- He was a lover of music, we should old clothes, herbs, dried mackerel hung on the beams, salt codfish, and other articles regard of the laws of health abridge our but he denies that he has any except some either killed, or secured, and not permitted tention paid to the subject of health would course, is of very little value. He retains many who pride themselves on their good which he was very desirous to be allowed to

Cambridge Chronicle.

CAPTURE OF A SLAVER .- Capt. Kennard. by habits of indulgence and overworking of ship Goodwin, from Calcutta, last from ing on an inclined plain, the water carries "equality," intimating that if women were and moved to reconsider the vote of yester- self to the different circumstances of each their strength till they fail, and their de- St. Helena, Oct. 12, reports that a brig with cline is like the breaking up of ice when upward of 400 slaves arrived at St. Helena the freshet comes, it is sudden, terrible, in October, having been captured by H. B. out sure. People pay too little attention M. ship Britomart, on the West coast of infant beauty, are both rocked out of their the toast, "To St. Simon, Fourrier, Cubet, Mr. Evans, of Md., rose to a privileged to diet, they overload themselves, they ne- Africa, without colors or papers. She had glect to bathe, in winter as well as summer. been previously boarded several times by They hug the fire too much and breathe H. B. M. ship Dart, when she was always too little fresh air, they sleep too much and represented as the American brig Frederieupation, and mounted on horses, half wild, has subsided into something like tranquil- House contingent fund, requiring the appro- valuables that he could, and then privately exercise too little, and yet they do all these ca, with American colors and papers. She things knowing the consequences. What was taken at Congo river, at which it apis there so sad as too see the sufferings of pears she had been delivered to Brazilian old age, or the premature fading of a man purchasers. The cook, who was on board in the prime of life. Such are the con- at the time of her capture, was on board sequences of a disregard of the laws of previous to her being delivered to the Brazilians. She was sent to St. Helena for adindication in the Admiralty Court. About LAWYER'S FEES .- The claim of Messrs, forty of the negroes died on the passage .-George M. Dallas and John M. Read, for The others were put in the depot, and when services as counsel for the defendants in in proper condition, if they are willing, will

Honesty to be Commended .- The of their original claim, and take \$4000 be- Courier says that "a gentleman of this city tween them. The Northern Liberties has had the misfortune a few days since to lose resolved to pay her share (\$2000) of this- a \$50 bill from his pocket. The chances for recovering such a valuable waif are not supposed to be very good, but this fell into honest hands, having been picked up by a VERY COOL .- An inhabitant of one of young man connected with one of the banks the Southern States, a young man of large in State street, who took the first opportu-

stupid experiments termed practical jokes. mended" occurred a day or two since, "Once upon a time" he entered a groggery wherein a Reporter for one of the morning where he was well known and invited a- papers found \$85 in bank bills, around bout twenty negroes to drink with him .- which was a strip of paper marked \$200 .-The blackies were not backward in com- Thinking a portion of that amount might ing forward and did full justice to the invi- have accidentally become separated from tation. One in particular drank about 20 that which he found, he instituted a rigid times, and as the treater and wag dosed search for the missing \$115, which, howeach glass with julap the negro became ever, proved fruitless. Notwithstanding talerably ill. The next day the proprietor the risk which he run of being accused of of the place, who was up to the joke, met abstracting a portion of the money, he promptly ascertained the owner, and re-"Do you know that negro is dead !- I turned to him the amount found, when he mean the one you dosed so unmercifully." learned that the \$115 had been rightfully "Oh! is he?" said the young man cool- taken from the roll. The \$85 might have fallen into worse hands .- Boston Journal.

In Wilmington, Mass., Mr. Parsons, The student who delivered the sermon, tavern keeper, in attempting to chain a dog the one who read the poem, and two others which had given symptoms of hydrophobia, who assisted at the annual "burial of was very badly bitten in the leg. The dog Euclid," have been expelled from Yale soon afterwards died in paroxysms, which break up the aforesaid ceremony. A tutor Every precaution has been taken for the

The report that paymaster Singer had Power's Greek Slave is now exhibited in been robbed and murdered, with his wife At a public dinner at Goldsborough, N. New Orleans. It belongs to Mr. Robb, and sister in law, is contradicted by the

his wife, by shooting her with a pistol.

NEWPORT MERCURY. MEWPORT.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1848.

THE NUMBERS on the buildings in Thames street, have been changed. Our number is 123 instead of 133.

OUR ADVERTISING FRIENDS will once more excuse the liberty we have taken with their favors on account of the long law. We shall soon have room enough for subjects of more interest to the

notwithstanding this, the house was crowded in Russell illustrated in his accustomed happy and eloquent manner.

Rodgers, of Boston.

Ladies National Magazine, edited by Mrs Ann S. Stephens, and published by C. J. Peterson, Philadelphia. This book is a choice one. The enthe typography faultless.

All the new and fashionable Magazines of the day, also a variety of Gift Books, have been received at this establishment. Go and see.

REAL ESTATE REGISTER .- We have received the first number of a journal bearing the above among the poor title, published semi-weekly in the city of New find much valuable information in its pages.

THE PARLOR MAGAZINE for December is upon Monument, Baltimore", and an "Italian Villa." For sale by the Booksellers.

WOODWORTH'S YOUTH'S CABINET for January .dren. It is filled with stories, and illustrated their inhabitants burrowing in and out." with a variety of engravings. Published in New York, at one dollar a year.

THE INHABITANTS of Malden, Mass. have voted \$1000 to celebrate the 200th anniversary of the settlement of the town.

PORK FOR THE FRENCH NAVY .- The St. Louis Republican of the 16th says that some light upon the question. Some time type, and on the most reasonable establishment at that city, twenty five hun-stituted a suit against the editor of the Thames street. Also Printing in Gold, Copdred tierces of pork for the French navy, Louisville Journal for slandering their per, and other fancy colours. which is to be delivered immediately. This character, and laid the damage at \$20,000 tion of the country. There are also very has been acquitted by the Jury. A few English market. At the packing estab-did not improve their decency. lishment of Messrs. Clarkson & Morgon alone, not less than twenty five thousand hogs will be cut up at their blocks.

THE MESSAGE .- This ponderous document contained 22,143 words, and was telegraphed entire from Boston to St. Louis, Juan Flores, perceived the hidden entrance and dropped at several intermediate places, to a cave. He entered; but seeing inside The operation took twenty-four hours, and is the greatest telegraphic feat on record.

Mrs. Nixon, of Medina, N. Y., while riding, called at an apothecary's shop for pared, entered the cave together and dismorphine to relieve the toothache; the boy in attendance gave her strychnine, which caused her death immediately.

ding, which caused the explosion.

dridge, of Rising Sun, in that county, fed rial has roved and is roving over the Bolson YORK, near the American Museum. this season and sent to the Baltimore market de Mopinie." 800 pounds.

Rev. David Baker, who has been labormonths past in Texas, was murdered and great exhibition of the Indians which months, since the "Mountain Compound" was first scalped by the Camanche Indians on his they happen to kill by proxy. way from San Antonie de Bexar to Vic-

Brunswick, N. J., in the presence of his quate idea of the rapidity and completeness towns, both in the New England and Western wife, who caught his arm, so that the charge with which towns and settlements have States, and has obtained an enviable reputation shattered his jaw and cheek bones; no been made on the Upper Mississippi.— for softening, beautifying and darkening the hair.

Numerous testimonials of its qualities have been hopes of his recovery. He is rational, but During the season past, four steamboats received from Chemists, Druggists and Physicgives no reason for the deed.

A lad of 17 years, named Russ, was found secreted in the New York custom and five boats will run to the Falls next ionable public for beautifying, moistening, and house, just before closing it on Friday eve- spring. When we consider that the Falls softening the Hair, and especially for its health ning. He had a sponge and chloroform in of St. Anthony are seven hundred miles and reproduction-removing dandruff, &c. his possession, with which it is supposed he intended to stupefy the watchman and then recently the Indian country, we can underby R. J. TAYLOR, Agent.

July 1, 1848.—6m. rob the sub-treasury, Pistols, matches, stand that such a business now is a wondersperm candles, yellow ochre, false whiskers ful fact. Such facts, however, are congate Callendar, &c., were part of the is spreading over the far North-West with touse some time ago with \$160 in gold.

tober, since which time, nothing has been the mouth of Crow Wing, fifty miles west heard of her or her crew and passengers. of St. Anthony, there are also settlements. heard of her or her crew and passengers. of St. Anthony, there are also settlements. Mr. James L. Durfee, of Phebe M. Peckham, of M. She had twelve persons in all on board, In that remote region, the process of popu-Fall River. The schooner belonged to tion which comes from Europe will be apt. Daniel Burdick, and John C. Bra- absorbed in prairies and woods untrodden soa of Mr. Nathaniel Holt, aged 37 years. man .- Daily Herald.

To be angry at trifles is mean and child-

LIFE IN NEW YORK.—We take a couple Meteorological Diary, for Nov., 1848 of paragraphs from the New York Tribune, strongly illustrative of life in the Commercial Metropolis. First is a sketch from the 'upper ten.'

"It is the fashion this season, much more than ever before, for ladies to promenade Broadway in the morning in full out-door costume, which gives our great thoroughfare an unusual air of gaiety and brilliancy these sparkling mornings. Handsome equipages, too, are more and more frequently seen, driven by goldbanded coachmen and attended by many-caped footmen, drawing up in front of the fashionable shops in stately procession, depositing THE THIRD LECTURE of the course was deliv- their delicate burdens upon the already ered on Thursday evening last. The weather crowded walk. A peep in at one of these was drizzley, dull, and dirty .- mud of an adhe- sacred temples of fashion, where the Godsive quality covered the streets, and the atmos- dress Caliconia holds her mysterious court, phere was heavy and sleep-engendering. But would furnish food for many a piquant and edifying observation. Here is a fair creature every part, and the lecturer was listened to with half buried in costly silks and laces, with a attention, and well received by an intelligent au- twenty-five dollar bonnet on her pretty dience. Elecution was the subject, -which Mr. head, a hundred dollar pocket handkerchief bubbling like a bit of seafoam between her exquisitely-gloved fingers, and a pair of The fourth lecture is to be given by Rev. Mr. bracelets on her arm worth enough to set up a young mechanic in business, who sits tumbling over mountains of fabrics worth TILLEY, the enterprising proprietor of the News their weight in gold, pouting her beautiful Depot, has handed us the January number of the lips, and looking quite unhappy because she cannot find anything good enough to wear to the Opera on the next night of Ernani. She has already her rooms, wargravings are superb-the contents valuable and drobes and bureaus full of dresses, and every species of the paraphernalia, of the toillette scarcely soiled with the wearing; yet she will positively pass a miserable day, bestill more useless, still more expensive."

"The presence of the cold and bitter York. It is devoted to the Landed and Building season has already trebled the ranks of BRIGHTON MARKET, Thursday, Dec. 14. interests exclusively. Published by Francis H. beggars in the streets, who enter every Fleming, Esq., 3 Broad Street. We hope it will shop soliciting for bread, or press their deserve and receive success. Business men will wan faces against kitchen windows, waiting for some kindly out-comer from whom to beg the fragments that fall from the rich man's table. In the dark and dreary alleys, our table. Its embellishments are "Washington's barefooted and ragged children delve a- year old 14 a 18 three year old \$13 a 25. Three mong the filth for bones and cinders, while year old steers \$45 a \$634, according to quality. in the suburbs rubbish mountains that garnish every unbuilt lot, are covered with tra lot of stall fed Weathers taken at 45e per lb. This is the title of a pleasant little book for chil- squalid beings, like huge ant-hills with

Model Artists .- Not finding sufficient encouragement in the Northern States, these violators of common decency, cleared for the West. How well they have succeeded there, we are not fully informedbut the following statement of their failure in a prosecution for defamation, may throw Messrs. Singersons are packing at their since, Collier's troupe of model artists in- terms, at the MERCURY OFFICE, No. 133 is the first contract of the kind in that sec- The case has been tried and the defendant large quantities putting up there for the such verdicts might affect their purse if it

Fall River Monitor.

A CAVE.-The following account is given of a cave in a lime stone chain of hills not far from San Sebastian.

"In the year 1838, a Mexican, Don a council of Indian warriors sitting together in the deepest silence, he retreated and told it to his companions, who well precovered about 1000 well preserved Indian corpses squatted together on the ground, FRENCH WAYER PROOF BOOTS, with their hands folded below their knees; they were dressed in fine blankets, made

Aaron Handwork, a respected citizen of of the fibres of lechuilla with sandals made low the ordinary demand for fashionable boots of Lehigh county, Pa., was killed on Friday of a species of liano, on their feet, and or- superior quality, and therefore deserve the attenweek, by the bursting of a cannon. Very namented with colored scarfs, with beads tion of all who may choose to suit themselves in foolishly he had used a gravel sod for wad- of seeds of fruit, polished bones, &c. This the best manner at the smallest expense—the is the very insufficient account of the very principle being adopted of "consulting the mutual interest of buyer and seller by manufacturmysterious burying place. The Mexicans ing a good article and selling it at the lowest pos-LARGE PORKER .- A correspondent of suppose that it belonged to the Lipans, an sible price for cash, and realizing a profit in the the Cecil (Md.) Whig states that Job El- old Indian tribe which from time immemo- increased amount of sales and quick returns."

a pig nineteen months old, which weighed It is surely no great evidence of civilization, not to mention humanity, among the Mexicans, that the Palace of Santa Fe is pound, manufactured by Horatio W. Foster, of Rev. David Baker, who has been labor-ing as a missionary under the care of the lesson of the ladies' toilet, as well as with the dressing Presbyterian board of missions for some ears, and that in Chihuahua they make a case of the beaux. It is now but about eighteen

remarks the editor of the Cincinnati Atlas, has expended in oringing the article to the remarks the editor of the Cincinnati Atlas, fection which its rapid sale denotes. It has al-Augustus Marsh shot himself in New who is not on the spot, can form an ade- ready been introduced in the principle cities and have run regularly to the Falls of St. An- ians of much experience, as well as from the mathony, and had more business than they ny who have used and been benefitted by the arand mustaches, the Life of Edwards, New- stantly occurring. The flood of emigration youth's stock in trade. He left his father's resistless energy. At the Falls of St. Croix, In this town, on Tuesday last, by the Rev. Mr. sixty miles north of the Falls of St. Anthony Jackson, Thomas J. Champlin, of South Kingsthere is a great dam erected, which is cal- ton, to Miss CAROLINE M. Allen, of Portsmouth. PROBABLY LOST.—The schooner James culated for fifteen saw mills. The country the Rev. Mr. Brewer, William Gilpin Esq., to late of Newport, Mariner, dec., presented for reception, from this port for Mobile, on the 11th Oc- ness is now the principal pursuit there. At liam Turner, all of this place.

viz - Daniel Burdick, Master; Benjamin lation and civilization is going on with Mr. Rouse, Mr. Benjamin W. Hammond to Miss weeks in the Newport Mercury, that all persons Canady, Mate; John King, Dennis Cham- great rapidity. In less than twenty years, SARAH R. JOHNSTON, both of Wickford. bers, a Portuguese and a person from Nar- Wisconsin, Iowa, and Minesota will conragansett, as crew. Passengers, Henry tain two millions of people; and long before BRETH, of Belfast. Crowell, John V. Burdick, Wm. Northup, that time, new waves of emigration will arathmel Swasey, of this town; Thomas flow far beyond that, into new wilderness Rider of Middletown, and a person from lands. Thus a large part of that popula-

At the latest dates the Ohio Legislature

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REMARKS .- The Month has been remarkable cause there is not in Broadway something for the heavy Snow storm of the 19th. It commenced here about six o'clock P. M., and contin-But next comes a dreary contrast-life ued through the night with great violence; there for New Orleans on the 11th. was about twelve inches on a level.

At market during the week, 500 Beef Cattle, 850 stores, 3100 Sheep, 1000 Swine. PRICES.

Beef Cattle .- Extra 6 50 ; First quality \$5 a 6 25 ; second \$5 25 a 5 75 ; third \$4 a 4 50. Sheep .- At 1 25, 1 75, \$2, 2 25 a \$3. One exlive weight. Sicine. - At wholesale, common ordinary lots 3

a 34e; choice lots New York Hogs, small size, 4 a

SPECIAL NOTICES.



LOB BRILLING In its various branches,

Executed with new and fashionable

REDUCED PRICES FOR BOOTS. NO 14 ANN STREET.

Near the American Museum, New York.

H. B. JOHES.

Having adopted the cash system, and the motto Quick sales and small profits," by which both buyer and seller are benefitted, he respectfully invites both strangers and citizens to an examination of the quality and prices of his

CHOICE STOCK OF BOOTS The assortment embraces the following articles, which for style, durability and workmanship, challenge competition: FINE FRENCH IMPERIAL DRESS BOOTS, \$4,50 to 4,75

FINE FRENCH BOOTS, \$3,50 to 4,00 CONGRESS BOOTS, \$3,50 to 4.00 FRENCH PATENT LEATHER BOOTS,

All warrented to give satisfaction.

It will be observed that the prices are far be-

FOSTER'S MOUNTAIN COMPOUND .- This Comintroduced to the public by Mr. Foster, the origi-THE GROWTH OF THE WEST.—No one, has expended in bringing the article to that pernal proprietor and inventor, who is reaping a rich

MARRIACIS.

In this town on Saturday last, Mr. Henry Holt, son of Mr. Nathaniel Holt, aged 37 years.

THE Subscribers have in the rear of their Store, No. 100 Thames street, a large and commo-In this town on Thursday last, Mr. CLARKE dious Brick Smoke House. Persons wishing to SPENCER, of Fall River, aged about 21 years. have their Hams smoked in good style, will please In this town on Friday the 8th, STLVIA GRAY, send them to JOHN W. DAVIS & SON. (colored) aged about 75 years.

In Providence on the 11th inst., Mrs. SARAH COOK, relict of the late John W. Cook, of Scitu-Hats, & Caps, Muffs, Fur ate, in the 73d year of her age; On Sunday evening last, Mrs. Bersey Mason, widow of the late Oliver Mason, in the 81th year of her age.

In Boston Dec. 4th, THEODORE HAMMETT, son of Dr. J. J. and Caroline Fales, in the 10th year



ARRIVED.

SUNDAY, Dec. 10. Sch'r Flora, Pettingale, fm Philadelphia for plain and embroidered; Fancy Hats, &c. Boston ; Yesso, Rycrson, fm Labec for Baltinore; Cinderilla, Pendleton, fm New York for Boston ; Amazon, Sears, fm Norfolk for Dennis ; Hudson, Night, fm New York for Boston ; Ellen, Marshal, fm --- for Cape Ann. Sloop Rising Sun, Presby, fm Taunton for Hartford.

MONDAY Dec. 11. Sch'rs Oregon, Joslen, fin Hartford for Pro lence ; Lonsdale, Baker, fm Providence for Phila lelphia; Queen, Gardner, fm do for Baltimore John Simmons, Small, fm Norfolk for Warel T. K. P. Mansfield, Mills, fm Hartford for Bos ton ; Planet, Sisson, fm Greenport

TUESDAY, Dec. 12. Sch'r Wm. A. Carlton, Woodborn, fm Eastport for Baltimore

Sloop Arion, Miller, fm Providence for New WEDNESDAY, Dec. 13.

THURSDAY, Dec. 14. Brig Victory, Bush, fm Harwich for North Caro-

Sch'r Mary Eddy, Eddy, fm Bristol for Havana. MARINE MEMORANDA

Ship Wm. Sprague, Chase, cl'd at New Orleans the 30th for Liverpool. Brig M. C. Draper, Draper, cl'd at New York

ngs, Smart, for Savannah.

Bank of Rhode Island

meeting for choice of Directors, will be held at thereof as will be sufficient to raise said sum with the Bank, on MONDAY, Jan. I, 1849, at 10 o'clock, A.M. W. A. CLARKE, Cashier. JOSEPH A. CARR, Adm'r. Dec. 16, 1848.

Rhede Island Union Bank.

MIE Stockholders of the Rhode Island Union Bank are hereby notified that their annual meeting for the election of Directors, will be held consideration to a Court of Probate to be holden at the Banking Room on TUESDAY, the 2d of January 1848, at 11 o'clock, A.M., and that January, 1848, at 11 o'clock, A. M.

They are also notified that a Dividend of THREE DOLLARS on each share, has been declared, payable on and after the 1st day of January, 1849.

R. P. LEE, Cashier. Newport, Dec. 16, 1848.

FOR SALE.

and possession given on the 25th of March.

THE undivided four-sixths of the lot of land with one half of the dwelling house thereon situated, containing 34 acres, which was assigned to Margaret Almy, the widow of Capt. Samuel Almy, late of Portsmouth dec., as her dower in said Samuel Almy's Farm, situated LIKEWISE, a lot of land situated in the

North West part of said Samuel Almy's farm in Postsmouth, with one half of the dwelling house, which was assigned to Emeline Mumford, and which now belongs to Charles H. Almy, of the city of Boston. For information enquire of PETER P. REMINGTON, Attorney.

Newport, Dec. 16, 1848.

Court of Probate, Little Compton, Dec. 11, 1848. A T this Court an instrument in writing purport-ing to be the last Will and Testament of URIAH TOMPKINS,

\$4,50 to 6,00 late of Little Compton, deceased, was presented for Probate and Letters Testamentary thereon by Robert T. Tompkins, Executor, in said will named. The same is read, received and public notice thereof, ordered that the consideration of the apoval of said will be attended to at a Court of Probate to be held at the office of the Clerk of this Court, on Monday the eighth day of January next, at one o'clock, P. M., and that this order be inserted in the Newport Mercury, three successive weeks previous to the sitting of said Court, that all persons interested may appear at said time and place and be heard. Witness,

OTIS WILBOR, Probate Clerk. Court of Probate, Little Compton, Dec. 11, 1848. T this Court Horace Gray, Executor of the

last Will and testament of LYDIA GRAY.

a settlement of his account as Executor aforesaid with this Court. It is ordered that the settlement of said ac-

count be attended to at a Court of Probate to be held at the office of the Clerk of said Court in said Little Compton, on Monday the 8th day of January next, at one o'clock P. M. and that legal notice of the same be given by inserting a opy of this order in the Newport Mercury, for tate of three successive weeks previous to the sitting of late of Newport, single woman, dec, intestate. said Court, that all persons interested may appear at said time and place and object to the allowance of the same by the Court.

OTIS WILBOR, Probate Clerk.

NOTICE.

A LL persons registered to vote in this town, in-tending to vote in 1849, by payment of Registry or other taxes, must pay the same to the Collector of taxes, on or before the last day of December 1848, who is now prepared to receive them. HANSON HULL, Collector. Newport, Dec. 16, 1848.

Court of Probate, of Newport, holden Dec. 4 1848.

U PON the report of the Commissioners hereto-fore by this Court appointed to receive and examine the claims agains the estate of

at 9 o'clock, a. m., and notice is ordered to be In St. Paul's Church, Wickford, by the Rev. given, by advertisement for three successive interested may appear at said time and place, if In Belfast, Me., Nov. 21st, Mr. NATHANIEL L. they see fit, and show cause if any, why said Re-

B. B. HOWLAND, Probate Clerk.

House. Smoke

Newport, Nov. 18.

P. S .- HATS and CAPS made to ordet. Nov. 4 .- tfj. At a Court of Probate of the Town of Newport holden December 4th.

JOSEPH A. CARR, Administrator on the es-tate of THOMAS C. SHERMAN, late of Newport, Mariner, dec., presents his first account on said estate for allowane

TRIMMINGS, UMBRELLAS, &c.

PARKER & WEAVER,

articles; consisting in part of Beaver, Mole Skin, Fur and Wool Tampico

Hatsi Cloth, Silk and Lawn Caps-latest styles,

also, Children's Fancy Cloth Caps, Velvet do.,

the Ladies to their stock of Muffs and Trim-

mings, comprising the largest and BEST SELECTED

ASSORTMENT ever offered in this place-consisting

of Black Lustred and Natural Lynx, Viena do.

Grey Squirrel, Tipped Jennet, Grey dos, Coney and other Muffs, at

OAK ROW, NO. 2.

They would particularly invite the attention of

HAVE just received a large and elegant assortment of the above named

The same is read, received and referred for consideration to a Court of Probate to be holden at Sailed—Bark Charles Devens, Bailey, for New the Town Hall in Newport, on the fitst Monday in January next, at 9 o'clock, A. M., and notice is ordered to be given thereof, by advertisement tween 70 and 80 acres of good land, fenced with 3 successive weeks, in the Newport Mercury, that good stone wall, has a good dwelling house. and all persons interested may appear at said time and other out buildings, an orchard of Apple and othplace and be heard.

B. B. HOWLAND, Probata Clerk.

To the Court of Probate, of the town of Newport to be holden at Newport, on Monday Dec 4, 1848. THE undersigned administrator on the estate of THOMAS C. SHERMAN, late of Brig Prince de Joinville, Gardner, was adv. at Newport, Mariner, dec., represents that the per-New Orleans the 30th, for Havana; Sch'r Geo. the just debts which said Thomas C. Sherman Brig Lisbon, Smith, arr at Wilmington the 5th. owed at the time of his death, and funeral ex-Sch'r Pakir, Ball, hence, arr at Mobile the 4th.

Bark Floyd, Mayberry, cl'd at New Orleans the enty-nine dollars, 22 cents. He therefore prays that he may be authorised in his capacity of Administrator aforesaid, to sell the Real Estate of said Sherman, consisting of a lot of land and shop thereon, bounded Easterly on Market Square in said Newport, Southerly on the market house lot. MHE Stockholders of the Bank of Rhode Is- Westerly on land of widow Congdon, and North land, are hereby notified, that the annual erly on the way to the Ferry Wharf; or so much

> Court of Probate, Newport, holden Dec. 4, 1848. TIPON the above petition of Joseph A. Carr. Administrator on the estate of Thomas C. Sherman.

notice be given by the Clerk of this Court of the pendency and prayer thereof by Advertise-ent in the Newport Mercury, for three successive weeks. B. B. HOWLAND, Probate Clerk.

TO LET,



THE LOWER PART of the House, on the South side of Frank lin street, recently occupied by Mr.
Bernard Hill. A convenient tene-

ment for a small family. For terms apply to BENJ. B. HOWLAND. Newport, Nov. 11, 1848.

MAGAZINES.

SUBSCRIPTIONS received for Godey's Lady's Book, Graham's Magazine, Ladies National Magazine, Pictorial National Library, Littel's

Day and Evening School.

THE SUBSCRIBER having taken the School House formerly occupied by Thos. P. Nichols, in Marlborough street, will commence a day school, and evening, on December 4, 1848. WILLIAM D. LAKE.

Newport, Dec. 2, 1848.

North Kingstown Bank.

AT the annual meeting of the Stockholders of the North Kingstown Bank, the following ersons were elected Directors :-Ionathan Reynolds, Jeffery Davis, Pardon T.

Hammond, Joseph C. Sanford, Jeremiah G. 3374 Time enough, by Miss Hall; Life in the bush, Chadsey, William G. Hammond, Ezbon Sanford, Nicholas Spink, William Browning, Eliphalet 3375 Journal of a poor Vicar; Remance of Geolo-Young, Alfred Updike, John J. Reynolds, Horagy, &c., by Chambers, tio N. Reynolds, Abel S. Baker, and Henry R.

Jonathan Reynolds, Esq. was re-elected President by Chambers late of Little Compton, dec., applied for notice of of said bank. P. T. HAMMOND, Cashier. Wickford, Nov. 25, 1848 .- 3w.

> Court of Probate of the Town of Newport, holden December 4, 1848.

PPLICATION is made in writing, by George 3381 Story of Catherine of Russia ; story of Sil-A W. Tilley that he or some other suitable per- vio Pellico, Chambers, son may be appointed Administrator on the es- 3382 Love is power-narrative of the Russian SARAH L. TILLEY,

The same is read; received and referred for Clan, McGregor, edited by Chambers onsideration to a Court of Probate, to be holden | 3384 There is no hurry-a tale of Life assurance at the Town Hall in Newport, on the first Mon- by Mrs. Hall, day of January next, at 9 o'clock, A. M., and 3385 The three ways of Living; within the means, notice ordered to be given thereof by advertise- up to and beyond, Chambers, ment for 3 successive weeks in the Newport 3386 Moors of Spain; story of De la Tude, Cham-Mercury, that all persons interested, may appear at said time and place and be heard. B. B. HOWLAND, Probate Clerk.

Court of Probate, Newport, holden Dec. 4, 1848. A PPLICATION is made for an Administrator to be appointed on the estate of HENRIETTA ELLERY,

late of Newport, colored woman, dec., intestate, The same is read, received and referred for sideration to a Court of Probate to be holden at the Town Hall in Newport, on the first Monday in January next, at 9 o'clock, A. M., and notice thereof is ordered to be given by an advertisement to be published three successive weeks in the Newport Mercury, for all persons interested to appear at said time and place and he beard.

B. B. HOWLAND, Probate Clerk,

Winter Arrangement. FOR PROVIDENCE Fare 75 Cents.

The steamboat PERRY,



Dec. 9, 1848.

Capt. Woolsey, leaves Newport, daily, (Sundays exep ted) at 84 A.M. for Prov-Returning leaves Providence for New-Freight taken at the usual low rates.

DRINTED BOCKINGS .- 5-4, 5-4, and 8printed Bockings, just opened by F. LAWTON & BROTHERS.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

Will be sold at Public Auction, in front of the Traders' Bank, on the 8th of Janu-

ary, 1849, at 11 o'clock, A. M. 10 SHARES in the Capital Stock of the Traders' Bank, and 7 shares in the Capiz tal Stock of the Newport Bank, belonging to the

estate of Patience Taylor, dec. P. P. REMINGTON, Administrator. Newport, Dec. 16, 1848.

Stock &c., at Public Auction.

Will be sold at Auction on TUESDAY the 9th of January, 1849, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the farm in Middletown, (belonging to Samuel Allen) now occupied by Abner Weaver, (if fair, if not the next fair day)-



PAIR OF OXEN; 5 Cows; 40 Ewe Sheep; a quantity of Fowls; some Farming Tools; three stacks of Hay; five stacks of Oat traw; about eight stacks of Corn Fodder. Al-

Conditions at time and place of Sale. c. 16,] JOHN GOULD, Auc'tr.

Farm at Auction, in Portsmouth.



THE SUBSCRIBER will offer his well known Farm at Auction, on the 19th of 12th month, 1848, at 11 Meeting House, in Portsmouth, containing be-

er fruit trees. Conditions at the time and place ASA SHERMAN.

AT THE PARK SALOON. New Confectionary, New Shellbarks, Chesnuts, Almonds, Raisins,

Peanuts, Prunes, Cranberries, Dates, Cider, Figs, Onnary Seed Tamrinds, White Grapes, Tobacco, Fig Paste, Jujube Paste, Segars,

New rich and useful Fancy Articles and Toys,

Perfumery Hair Oils, &c.; Ladies Work Boxes,

Card Cases, Playing Cards, Dominoes, Violin Strings, Pocket Books, Dolls of all kinds, Pocket Knives, and Scissors. New Camphene, new Pictures and Frames, new Fire Works, and a great many other New Things too NEWmerous to mention. All just from

Apples,

New York.

Newport, Nov. 25, ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

THE subscriber having been appointed by the I Hon. Court of Probate of the town of Little ompton, Administrator on the estate of MERCY WILBOUR,

late of Little Compton, dec., and given bonds according to law, requests all the debtors and creditors of said estate to make settlement with him without delay. CHARLES WILBOUR, Adm'r. Little Compton, Nov. 17, 1848.

SHAWLS .-- More Nice Long and Square Shawls, just received by Oct 28. WM. C. COZZENS & CO.

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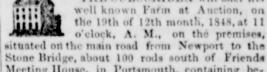
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(Continued from first page.) From Reidsville, in Tatoull county, to the forty fifth mile station on the Central rail-

rond From Backeye post office to Towersville, in Laurens county.

From Anderson, in South Carolina, via Elberton, to Lexington, Oglethorpe county, Georgia. From Pendleton, South Carolina, via

Polliman's ferry, King's Bench, Bowersville, Franklin Springs, Madison Springs, to Athens, Georgia. From Athens, via Gillsville, to Clarks.

From Athens, via Dallas, Providence, to

Carnesville.

From Gainesville to Argo.

ARKANSAS. From Eldorado, in Union county, via Harper's, Foster's store, and James Dy er's to Athens, the scat of justice of Claiborne parish, in Louisiana.

From Washington, via Johnson's Mills. Neal's Springs, and Russey's in Sevier county, Baker's Springs, and Mountain Fork Cove, in Polk county, to Dallas.

From Chickelah to Hot Springs. From Loss Creck, vin Hester's Bridge. on Hurricane Creek, via H. Carr's, to Pine Bloff, Jefferson county.

From Chickalah Village, Yell county, via Matthias Harkey's vin Jordan Thompson's. to Merrison's Bluff, in Johnson county, From Favetteville, Arkansas, via Daniel Neel's via Henry Hasting's, to Maysville, ly five miles.

Benton county. From Wilmington, Arkansas, via Carysville, to Marion, Louisiana.

LOUISIANA.

From Hansonburg, via Copenhagen, Thomas Meredich's, James William's, Ver non, Duydemonia, to Athens, sent of justice Long March, to Sudlersville, in Queen From Nacogdoches to Ewingville, in Anfor the parish of Claiborne.

From Naichitoches, via St. Maurice, Ce dar Creek, Salem Mills, John Lesle's, Wy att's, and John T. Harris's, in Monroe. From Bellevicu, in Bossier parish, to

Minden, in Chiborne. From Alexandria to Mount Lebanon.

From Fort Jesup, via Toro, to Burr's KENTUCKY. From Mount Sterling, via the Beaver

pends on Red river, and the Estill Steam Furnace, to Irvine, in Estill county. From Gravson, in Carter county, via the

ton's to West Liberty, in Morgan county. Mills, in the county of Amherst. and from thence, via Hazel Green, to Jackeon, in Breathitt county. From Williamstown, vie Fork Lick, Mer

ward's creek, to Irvine.

From Kiddvile to Walter Goude's. From Pleasureville to Owentown.

to West Liberty, in Morgan county. From Thomas J. Dobbin's store to Auron's run, both in Montgomery county.

From Jackson, in Brenthitt county, to Creckettsville, on the middle fork of the Kentucky river, in the same county. TENNESSEE.

From Taylorsville, via Shady, Johnson county, to Paperville, in Sulhvanville county. Perey's Store, in the county of Tazewell, From Somerville, via Dancyville, to

From Thorne Hill, through the valley on the north side of Clinch mountain, via Martin Cleaveland's and John Dobson's, to

Blain's Cross-roads. From Kingston, via Bellefonte, Erie, and

Oxford to Athens. From Waynesboro to Florence, Alabama From Elizabethron, via Green field, Blount-

ville, and Arcadia, to Kingsport. From Somerville, via Favette Corner, and

Estaunala, to Denmark. From Benton to Dalton, Georgia-

From Jackson to Savannah, in Tennessee. ALABAMA. From Jasper to Springfield.

From Russellville to Buzzard Roost. From Huntsville to Montgomery, via Montevallo. From Wetumpka, via Quitman, Cheenut

crock, and Wascabatchez, to Columbiana From Marion, via Dicken's Mills, Brush Randolph Court house. Creek, Centrevile, and Jericho, to Marion. From Moulton to Leighton.

From the town of Tulladega to Broken Leesburg. Arrow, in the county of St. Clair. From Wetumpka, via Vixburg, Socapotar, Pankaeyville, Goldrille, Wedowee, in

From Blue Pond, in the county of Cheroken to the city of Montgomery, Alabama, vis Jacksonville and Talladega.

Griffin, in the State of Georgia.

From Walderwess post office, via Carleton's store, to Mott's post office.

via Wellborne, to Indigo Head, to Geneva, ville; and that the route from Salem to in said State.

From Benton, in Lowndes county, Ala- continued. bama, via Joseph Walker's, to Warrenton, From Elizabeth City, Pasquotank county. in Dallas county.

MISSISSIPPI.

From Shieldshiro', via Gainesville, Ce- to Randall-ville. lumbia, and Monticelia, to Gallatin. From Boloxie, via Augusta and Ellisville, Prospec: Hill.

to Paniding. From Beliontaine, via Grenada, to Farm. Favetteville.

len's Cross roads, and Robinson's, to Mem- county. phia, Tennessee.

From Panala to Coffeeville.

Mille, to Ellesville. From Williamsburg, via Ellisville, to Paulding-

From Paulding, via Enterprise, to Dale- son's, Houver's and Sawver's Gold Mines, ty seat of Benton county, to the Falls of Cedar

From East Port to Fulton. From Hillsborn' to Raleigh. From Jackson, via Raymond, Cayuga, Rocky Springs, Port Gibson, and Favette. to Natchie

From Paulding, vis Leakesville, to Mobile

From Lonkesville, via Winchester, Miltomville, and Quitman to Enterprise. From Woodrille, via Stbley's and Har

vard ferry, to Stephen Kenedy's, (on the road from Natchez to Liberty.) From Vicksburg, vin Warrentown, to

Grand Gulf, by land. From Hopewell, via Big Creek and lone's Mills, to Coffeeville.

From Salem, via J. H. Norton's and Wilam McLeans, to Fenger's Cross-reads. From Grenada to Greensboro',

From Grenada, via Belfontaine, to Fame. Houston, to l'entotec.

From Greensboro's vin Shongalo, Middleton, and Carrollton, to Greenwood. From Aberdeen, via Athens, Quincy.

Splunge. Grubb Springs, and Hamilton, to Aberdeen. From Macon to Prairie Point.

From Charleston to Delta. From Delta to Bolivar.

From Bolivar to McNuit. From McNutt to Greenwood. From Charleston, via Tuscahoma and Smith's Mills, to Carcollion.

From Coffeeville to Sarepta. From Holly Springs, via New Albany, to Fulton, in Ittawamba county.

From Delta, Husting's ferry, to Panola From Herbert's post office, to Quitman,

in said State. From Vicksburg, Warren county, Mis-Fort Gibson, Oakland College, Rodney, and county. Church Hill, to Natchez, Mississippi, eigh From Port Cadde, via Clinton, in Caes

MARYLAND.

From Baltimore, via Cub Hill, Fork Meeting, to Bellair.

Jefferson Corner, in Somerset county. From Deuton, Caroline county, via Greensborough, Bridgetown, Beaver Dams, county, to Town Bluff.

Ann's county. From Ellicott's Mille to Rockville, Mont.

VIRGINIA. From Blacksburg, in the county of Mont- the county site of Navarro. gomery, via Pepper's ferry, in said county, to Newbern, in the county of Pulaski,

From Martinsville, in the county of Heny, via Rough and Ready, Prunty's, Union the county of Patrick, to Floyd Court house. county, via Gasten's, Wades, and Stephen

From Brooksville, in the county of Albe. marlo, via Greenfield, Tye River Mills and precinct of Little Sandy and Daniel Hor- Roseland, in county of Nelson, to Rose mond, Columbus, and Petersburg.

From Kingwood, in the county of Preston, to West Union, in

edith, Collin's and Logansville, to Leesburg. via Wade's, the Meadows, Halesford, and From Winchester, vin Reuben Rucker's, Taylor's Store, to Rocky Mount, in the holm's ferry. Walter Goode's, and the mouth of Wood- county of Franklin; and the turnpike road from the suid town of New London to Rocky Mount, when completed shall be, and the ad. same is hereby declared to be, a post road. From Poplar Plains, Floming county, via without regard to the intermediate points Plummer's Mills, John's Mills and Triplett, herein named, if the same shall not be upon goria Cedar Lake and Coney.

From Rocky Mount, via Saunder's Mill, Perersburg and Kerr's. Long Branch, and Canady's Gap, to Fleyd

From Finessile, in the county of Boterourte, to Covington, in the county of Alle-

From Mechaniceburg, in Giles county, to

From Kenhawa to Logan Court house, Huntwille. along the main State road, via John G. Jones's, near the mouth of Hewett's creek, county seat of Austin county.

in the county of Boone. From the town of Moorfield, in Hardy county, via the South Fork of the South

Branch of the Potomac river, to McDowell's post office, in the county of Highland.

county, via the Foundry, to Billeville, in Grande city. Carroll county.

From the town of Huntersville, in the thurpe's. county of Pocahontas, to Huttonsville, in the county of Randolph, via Martin's Bottom, Crockett, via Nashville, Wheelock, Leone, McHenry, Ringwood, Solon, and Richmond, in Stony Creek, Old Field Fork of Elk river, and Alabama toneville.

From Free Port, in Wood, at the mouth of Goose Creek, to Ritchie Court house. From Clintonville, in Greenbrier, via Nicholas Court house and Pocahontas, to

From Gravel Spring to Woodstock. From Alexandria, via Dranesville, to

NORTH CAROLINA

From Asheville, through Buncombe and Yancey counties, via Garrison's Gilbert's. Bull Creek, Indian Gap, Double Springs, Gahagen's, Big Laurel, (across the State ine) via Sulphur Springs, in Greene county. Tennessee;) and Love's, to Limestone Spring, in said county.

From Lexington, via Falton, Mocksville, From Troy, in Pike county, Alabama, County Line, and Oak Forest, to States-Statesville be, and the same is hereby, dis-

to Newbigon creek, in same county. From Fioral College, Roboson county,

From Lamberton to Elizabethtown, or

From Gravelly Hill, by Peter's creek, to

From Cedar creek, in Greene county From Ripley, via Campbelltown, to Ab. Tennessee, into North Caroline, via Allen's Galena, in Illinois. Old Stand Joseph Rives's Mill, to Bald From Oxford, via College Hill, Lewel- Mountain Creek post office, in Yancey ges's Rapid's, Black Hawk county.

From Daniel Carter's, via J W. Anderson's, on Gabriel's creek, in Yancey coun-From Raleigh, via Fayetteville, Coate's tv, via Bull creek, Walnut, and Brush creek, to the Warm Springs.

> From Warrenion to Shocco Springs. From Lexington, via F ir Grove Johnto Ashboro', North Carolina, From Littleton, in Halifax county, to

> Ransom's Bridge, in Franklin county. TEXAS. From Sherman, via Coffee's Bend, in

Grayson county, to Fort Washita. From Greene's Bluff, on Sabine river, via Lawhon's Mills, to Buckeville, the counir site of Newton county. From Lyon's post office, Louisians, via Waterville to Summitt. Green's Bluff, to Sabine Pass.

From Mooresvile, in Bowie county, via resco, to Dartford. Old Hickory, Clear Spring and Gertrude post offices, to Jefferson, in Cass county. From Henderson, via San Cosme, (Solomon Grigsby's,) Lilly's Mills, Rusk and

Murchison Prairie, to Creckett. From Woodville, via Sandy Bluff, to

From Tyler, in Smith county, via the county site of Van Zandt, (Grand Saline,) From Kesciusko, via Greensboro' and Bruten's, and Four Mile Prairie, to Buffalo-From Tyler, in Smith county, to Pales-

From San Augustine to Marion. From Springfield, the county scat of mestone, to Falls of Brazes. From Houston, via E. Byren's and F

Bingham's, to Parker's Point, From Golind to Port Lavacca.

From Milan, in Sabine county, via Housen Bayon, (Pace's) to Bear creek. From Clarksville, via Tarrant and the county site of Kaufman, to Buffalo.

From Warren to Coffee's Bend. From Fort Washita to Fort Smith, From Henderson, via Belleviru and Manchester, to the county site of Upshur.

From Bonham, via Greenville, to county aite of Kauliman. From Paris, in Lamar county, to Pine

Bluffs, in Red river county. From Henderson, vin Pecantown and sissippi, via Warrenton, Wilton Springs, Sugar Hill, to Grand Bluffs, in Panela York, to Amboy Corners, in said county.
Fort Gibson, Oakland College, Rodgey, and county.

county, to Moore's post office, in Bowie Madison, in the county of Madison From Fulton, on Red river, via Moore's via Boynton's Corners, Worthville, and Jacksonferry, on Sulphur Pork, William's Bieff, ville, to Lorraine, in Jefferson county, From Princess Anne, via Kingston, to and Clinton, in Cass county, to Jefferson to Byrneville, in said county.

erson county, and Jonas Cravy's, in Tyler via East Veteran and West Cayuta, to Ithaca,

gelina county, From Austin, via Cameron, to the Falls gomery county, via Clarksville and Sandy of Brazes, and the route from Springfield to Buffalo shall be so changed as to pass through Tawackeay Hills, and Corsteanns, York, by way of De Puyster, on the present route

> From Corsicanna, the county site of Navarro, via Porter's Bloff, to Boffalo. From Hodges's post office, in Fort Bend

From Gonzales to Goland.

Tippett's. From Houston to Gonzales, via Rich-

From Galveston to Columbin, via Virgin in Point, Liverpool, and Garen Himee's. From Passo Cavallo to Corpus Christi, From New London, in Campbell county, via Lamar, Copane, and Arkansas Poss.

From Lagrange to Goliad, via Chris-From Indian Point to Victoria. From San Antonio to Victoria, via Goli-

From Refugio to Lamar. From Columbia to Matagorde, via Bra-

From Lagrange to Texane, via Lyons,

From Houston, via Fanthorps to Spring-From San Antonio to Laredo.

From Austin, via Young's Sculement, to From Braunfel's to Fredericksburg

From Washington, via Fantharp's, to

From San Folipe to Washington, via new Town and Staunton, to Carlinaville, in Macoupin From Corpus Christi to county seal of

Cameron county. From Corpus Christi to Rio Grande city. Mount Kingston, in Montgomery county, by From Corpus Christi to Laredo.

From the mouth of the Rio Grande to From Christianburg, in Montgomery Laredo, by steamboat or land, via Rio Newark.

From Buffalo to Washington, via Fan- Jackson precinct, to Marengo.

From Cameron, in Milan county, to

Big Spring and Mingo flats; thence to the From Marshall, in Harrison county, via Hagan's Valley river, and down that river to Hut- ferry in Upsher county, to Tyler, in Smith coun-From Rusk, Cherokee county, to Lockrawss. From Galveston, via New Boston, to Sour Lake

in Jefferson county, MISSOERI From Alexandria, via St. Francisville, Woods Mills, Fox, Bloomfield, Drakesville, Pinceton, and Knoxville, to fort Des Moines, in Iowa. From Fredericktown, Madison, county, via

Devali Bollinger', s to Lowndes. Wayne county. From Brunswick, Carlton county, via Utica, to From Cassville, via Mount Pleasant, to Sarcoxie.

From Brunswick, via Compton's ferry, to Chil-From Alexandria to Winchester. From Alexandria to Canton.

From Oceola, via Quincy, to Hickory Court-

From Kirksville, via Lancaster, to fort Des Moines in Iowa. From Memphis to Keosauqua, in Iowa. From Westport to Harrisonville.

From Arrow Rock to Georgetown. From Fulton to Linns. From Round Hill to Arator. From Buffalo, via St. Paul to Forsyth. From Richmond, via Far West, Maysville, and

Gentryville, to Athens. From Gallatin, via Marysville, to Seint Joseph From Hartville to Waynesville. From Danville to Mexico.

From Sandhill, in Scotland county, to Kenksrille, in Adams county. TOWA From Mount Pleasant, via Deed's Mill, Brigh-

tor, and Oskaloosa, to Monroe city. From Delhi, via Cascade and Green's ferry, to same county. From Quashqueton, via Independence, to Stur-

From the Raccoon Forks of the Des Moines river to Council Bluff. From El Kader to Jacksonville. From fort Madison, via West Point, Lowell, Falls of St. Croix.

Mount Pleasant, Crawfordville, and Iowa city, to From Tipton, via Pioneer Grove and Marion, to the county seat of Benton county. From Cedar Rapids, Lynn county, via the coun-

river, Black Hawk county, From Iowa city, via Wasson's Mills, Washing- county. ton county, Houston's Point, Keokuck county, and Sigourney, to Lancaster, WISCONSIN

From Southport, via Pleasant Phrarie and Walker's Phrarie, to Richmond, in Illinois. From Port Washington, via Salisbury's Mill's and Horricon, to Beaver Dam, Dodge county.

Franklin, to Antioch, in Illinois,

From Darien, via Reed's Corners, Richmond, therein, Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That the Blankets, rose, pair.

and Utter's Corners, to Whitewater. From Milwaukie, via Troy, Elkhorn, Deleware, Darien, Allen's Grove, and Clinton, to Beloit. From Fond du Lac, via Humesville, to Plover Portage and Wisconsin river.

From Potosi to Beetown. Maysville, to Food du Lac. From Jayneaville, via Stone's Bridge, Fulson,

and Dunkirk, to Madison. From fort Washington to Fond du Lac From Sheboyagan, via Mayaville and Henricon. the county seat of Dodge county. From Watertown, Jefferson county, via Wan

am, Ceresco, Berlin, and Plover Portage, to Steven's Point, in Portage county. NEW YORK From Florence, Oneida county, New York, to Occola, Lewis county.

Gorham, Rushville, and Naples, to Dansville, in Livingston county. From Fosterdale, Sullivan county, New York, via Callikoon villiage, and Round Pond, to Rockland in said county From Greenville, Green county, New York, via

Norton Hill, to Oak Hill. From Gilboa, Schoharie county, New York, via Jefferson and North Harpersfield, to Davenport. Delaware county. From Chateaugay, Franklin county, New York, to the Canada line, adjoining the north part of the town of Clinton

From Alden, Eric county, New York, to Millgrove in said county, near the residence of Moses From Williamstown, Oswego county, New

on Centre, in said county. From Augusta, Oncida county, New York, From Copenhagen, Lewis county, New York, as the whole must be sold to close the concern

From Jefferson, Schoharie county, New York, From Beaumont, via Village creek, Jef- From Elmira, Chemung county, New York,

Tompkins county From Lafargeville, Jefferson county, New York, via Shantyville, Parker Settlement, Theresa, Ox Bow, and Caledonia, to Governeur, St. Lawrence

From Malone, Franklin county, New York, to fort Covington, same county. From Henvalton, St. Lawrence county, New to De Puyster Post Office, thence by the road through the town of Macomb, by the way of Hope's Mill's, to Rossie, in the said county of St. Law-

NEW JERSEY From Columbia, in the township of Knowlton, Brookville, in Sussex county. From Vincenttown, via Lumberton, Bridge-borough, to Philadelphia.

From New Germantown, vie Unionville, to German Valley. From Key Port, New Jersey, to Squankum. From Tuckahoe, via Lower Bridge on Codar creek, Scaville, Townsend's inlet, to Cape May Court house

From Cranbury to South Brunswick, Middle sex county. New Jersey. From Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, via Camden, New Jersey, Ellesburg, Fellowship and Green Proc, to Mount Laurel, Burlington county, New Jerecy. SOUTH CAROLINA.

From Anderson, via Seneca, Centreville, Steel's, Churubusco, Milwer's and back to Anderson. From Willow Grove, by Sheto, Rusk's Mill's, Bethlehem, and Taylorsville, to Willow Grove, being a circuit of thirty-four and a half miles. From Barnwell Court house to King's creek. From Columbia, South Carolina, via Maybin ton, Unionville, Spartansburg Court house, to

ILLINOIS. From Mount Carmel, via Round Prairie, Splucer's Mill, and Fairview, to Olney. From Cairo city, via Thebes, to Cape Girardeau, in Missouri. From Lebanon, in St. Clair county, via Marine

Rutherfordton, North Carolina, three times a

county. From Waterloo, by Red Bud and La Payette, to Sparta, in Randolph county. From Shelbyville, by Audubon, Hillsboro, and Staunton, Bunkerhill, and Woodburn, in Macoupin county, to the city of Alton.

From Dresden, via Ohio Farm and Lisbon, to

From Dundee, via Prospect, O'Connell, and From Aurora, via Royaltown and Weneville, to Sycamore

From Dundee, via Algonquin, Crystal Lake, Illinois, to Geneva, in Wisconsin. ARKANSAS. From Camden to Arkadelphia.

From Mount Ida, via Dallas, to Ultima Thule. From Lost Creek post office to Pine Bluff, in Jefferson county, to connect with route from Benton, Saline county, to Lost Creek From Lewisville. Lafavette county, to Minden,

in Claiborne parish Louisiana.

n Louisiana.

Munroe

From Arkadelphia to Clingman's Arkansas. From Helena, in Arkansas, to Panole, in Panola county, Mississippi, via Askew's Bluffs, once allowed in the naval service. a week. LOUISIANA. From New River post office, on the east bank

of the Mississippi river, to Galveston, in said From Winsborough, in the parish of Franklin,

to Monroe, in the parish of Ouschita. er, to Shreveport.

Vernor

NEW YORK. From Lockport, via Tonewanda Rapids, to gaged in the business to which these offers refer. Passing boxes, leather, From Elizabethtown, Essex county, New York via Keene post office and Osgood's Harrietstown, St. Amand's to Merril ville post office, in Frank. Ares. b oad, each in county, New York. From Fort Covington, Franklin county, New Augurs. set

WISCONSIN. For a mail route from Prairie du Chien, in Boat Hooks, copper Wisconsin via Round Prairie, Graham's Mills, the Falls of Black river, the Mouth of Ollear river, the Middle Mills on the Menemonie river, Suckets, dock, each the mouth of William river and Osceols, to the

From Wilderness post office, via Carleton's store, to Mott's post office. From Troy, in Pike county, Alabama, via Wellborne or Indigo Head, to Geneva, in said State. From Benton, in Lowndes county, Alabama, via Joseph Walker's, to Warrenton, in Dallas

ALABAMA.

Sec. 2. And le it further enacted, That the Brooms, hickory, doz. for the service thereon, at the next general let. From Southport, via Pleasant Phrarie and ting in the year eighteen hundred and forty nine, Bunting, all colors, and the service to commence as soon thereafter, as practicable : Provided, That as soon as a responsible contractor shall offer to transport the mails over any portion of the routes included in Becsway, lb. this bill, the Postmaster General shall have the Blocks, friction rollers, From Geneva, via East Troy, Bagleville, and power forthwith to put them under contract provided. That nothing in this set contained shall be From Waupum, Fond du Lac county, via Ce. so construed as to express any opinion as to the

true boundary of any State or Territory named " snatch, in.

Postmaster General be, and he is hereby, author-ised to establish post offices and appoint deputy les, piece postmesters at San Diego, Monterey, and san Bread Bashets, tin, Francisco, and such other places on the coast of the Pacific, in California, within the territory of Beil, table, each From Summitt, via Oconomewoe, Necobo, and the United States, and to make such temporary arra generate for the transportation of the mail in eaid territory, as the public interest may require ; that all letters conveyed to or from any the shore mentioned places on the Pacific, from er to any place on the Mantie coast, shall on charged with forty conts postage ; that all letters convered from one to any other of the said places on the Pacific shall pay twelve and a hal! ents postage and the Postmaster Ceneral is authorized to apply any moneys received on accoun of postages sforesaid to the payments to be made on the contract for the transportation of the muile | Battle area each From Geneva, Ontario county, New York, via in the Pacific Ocean ; and the Postmaster Gener. al is further authorized to employ not exceeding | C. rdage, targed hemp we agents in making arrangements for the exablishment of post offices, and for the trantmis sion, receipt, and conveyance of letters in Oregon and California, at an annual compensation not exceeding that of the principle clerks in the

oot Office Department. ROBT. C. WINTHROP, Speaker of the House of Representatives. G. M. DALLAS, Fice President of the United States, and President of the Senate.

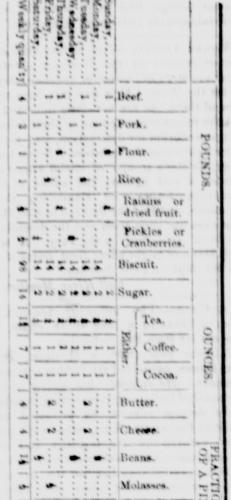
Approved, August 14, 1848. JAMES K. POLK. THE entire stock, assigned by John T. Stanhope for the benefit of his creditors, consisting

Glass, Crockery and China ware. Paper Hangings, Fancy articles and Toys, are offered for sale at very low prices. These in want of such articles would do well to call and examine said stock, Also some new and beautiful style LAMPS. W. H. CRANSTON, or sale very cheap. Assignee of J. T. Stanhope. June 10.

NOTICE.

Collectors Office, Custom House, NEWPORT, Nov. 15, 1848.

SEALED PROPOSALS, directed to and to be transmitted to the Treasury Department, will Log lines, bank be received at this office until December 15, 1848 Lanterns, signal, cop at 12 o'clock, M., for the supply of Rations to the petty officers and seamen of the United States Revenue Cutter Jackson, for the term of one year from January 1st to December 31st, 1849. And it is to be distinctly understood, that no bids will Lead Lines, deep sea be entertained from persons not actually engaged in the business to which these offers refer. ration for the Revenue service is the same as that allowed in the Naval Service, omitting the liquor Furnace, Eismsville, and Rock Castle, in county, to Arnold's post office, in Austin New Jersey, along the Deleware river, to Flat and consists of articles enumerated in the followiug table, to wit.



: : : Vinegar. The rations are to be of good and wholesome quality, to be approved by the Collector, and the different articles comprising the rations to be delivered on board the vessels in good and sufficient casks and vessels, to be provided by the contractor, with the contents thereof distinctly marked

It is to be understood that the contractor will Pump tacks, copper be bound to furnish, upon reasonable notice, as often as may be required by the Captain of the vessel, with the approbation of the Collector, (not Pitch, gall. exceeding, upon an average, one day in each week) such fresh meat and fresh vegetables, as may be equivolent to the corresponding parts of ration Nov. 15 to Dec. 15

KOTIOE.

Collector's Office, Custom House, NEWPORT, Nov. 15, 1848. Monroe, in the parish of Ouschita.

SEALED PROPOSALS directed to and to be Palms, mounted, each transmitted to the Treasury Department, will Palm trons, each be received at this office till December 15th, at Plates, Queen's, ware From Plaquemine to Johnston's Store, on the 12 o'clock, M., for furnishing the hereinafter men-Bayou Gross tale, by the way of Point Coupee, tiened supplies, from January 1st to December 31st, 1849. The supplies to be furnished at such From Harrisonburg, through what is called the times as may be required for the use of the Rev-Funebree and Rierr settlements, to Columbia. enue Cutter and Boats which may be employed From Columbia, by Thomas Meredeth's An- in this District, at the prices set opposite the arde son, and Perkins, in Jenkin's settlement, to ticles below enumerated. All articles furnished Priming wire, each to be of the best quality and to undergo an in- l'owder flasks, copper, From Vernon, by Indian Village and Coon's to spection of the officers making the requisition. And it is to be distinctly understood that no bids Port fire, staves, ash, will be entertained from persons not actually en-

Anchors and Kedges lb ; Adres, shipwrights each yard " No. 6 coopers', copper ' yard " No 10 wood, each Yard York, to Dickinson, by way of Moirs, in the Almanac,nautical each Coal, Leligh, deliver-Anvil, lb. ed, to: Awls, brad Cook's Ladles, each

> " iron, each Cups and Saucers. Queen's ware, doz. cedar, each Castors, plain plated sheet iron lb Crowbars, lbs. Brushes, scrubbing each varnish, each Calipers, carpenter's clamp, each gunner's, pair tar, each

paint, assort-

whitewash

birch, doz.

full width. piece

half width, piece

per inch, per sheave

iron bushed

per inch. per sheave

each

euch each Cranes for boats, lb. Coffee Mills, each Boilers, each Cannisters for oil, each Cotton, waste, lb. Coal Scraper, sach

Capstan Bars, hickory

Curtains, moreen.

made up, yd.

Deck Lights, patent eacl Duck, ravens, heavy bolt imperial, belt

" cotton bolt Drum, piece Drawing Knives piece Emery, In Files, band saw, each

wood rasps, each each Frying Pans each Fints, bund Flannel, cylinder, yd. Forge and be lows, each Gouges, set Glasses, log, 14 sec. each

Glue, 1bs. Gimlets, asserted, doz. Glue 'et, piece Gridiron, each Gunter's Scale, each Grapuela II Hawsers, Manila, 15,

patent, Ibs. bolt rope, the. Houseline, 1b. Manilla, lbe. Hambroline, lb ables, hemp, cwt. a chain, the opper, sheet, the each Chalk, the.

" large and fix.

tures, each

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each

Rake Pans, set

darometer, each

Birs, boring, each

ullet Mould, set

Brace and Bits, set

Belaying Pins, iron

toatswain's call, sil-

each a lines, piece Chiesels, assorted, set " cold each Candles, sperm, 1b. Compasses, brase, ton inch, each each it bost, each

car, enter's eachchain.lb. Hanks des anvas, Holland's A Halliards pennunt, Ib. A. bolt American Hooks, ean, lb. bemp. bolt Datebets, each cotton, No. 9

Irons, hand, Ib. e ch. Rotton Stone, lb. or tent, the calking, each each each Jank, lb. Kids, copper, hooped Spiker, composition, !b Leather, rigging, lb.

d. 1. iron, don. per, each battle, each deck, each each Litharge, 1b.

120 fathoma each hand, each black lb. Leads, sounding, Ib. Ladles & Worm, each Lamp, binnacle, each .oggerheads, 1b. Lumber, white pine, Spun Yarn, Ib. clear, foot

.. plank, foot Log Reel, each Lamp black, lb. Mallots, caulking, each serving, each gunner's, each Marline spikes, steel Match rope, lb. Measure, copper, eet

Marline, 1b. Match, staves, each Macl. lb. each vails, copper, wrought cut. lb. Slate, each " iron, wrought.lb. Sledge, bs. Needles sewing. se.

sorted dex. " sail. " marline, dos. Nippers, each Oakum ib. Oil, smerm, winter " strained gall. summer.gel

" linee d, builed gall raw, gall " olive, quart " tar, gall. Oars, ash, feet " spruce, feet Cene, steel, card, each Paints black lead.lb white lead in

red lead in oil. ground . |b. Parcelling. yd. si ver, doz. Table Clothe, linen,yd. Paper, sheathing, ream foo scap, ream " letter, cold pressed, ream

" envelope, quire " sand (ascorted) each Tape lines, 100 feet thousd. " iron thous. each

kettles, 1b Planes, jointer, each jack, each smoothing, each fore, each match, set Pad locks, brass, each l'unches, chain, each nail, each

dinner, doz. dessert, doz. dishes, assorted.

utty. !b.

each Powder, cannon, lb. priming, lb. boxes, copper, Pump, hand, copper each Prickers, each

packing yarn, (hemp) Rules, corpenter, 2 feet, each Rammers and Sponges Wrenches, assorted, 10 Printed lists of the above articles will be fur

SIMON MOFFITT baving removed his deposit to Sherman Street, about 8 rods South cast from his former location, keeps constantly, a variety of Window France & Sashos, -glazed and

.. 28 sec.

hemp, th. Hooks & Thimbles. ib. Handspikes, history

n shad each

Hammers, claw, each n pume, each chipping. Hook, suchor, fish, the

Hoes, each Ick, wr ting quart Scrapers, gun, each

> " iron, wrought, lb n n cut, lb Screws, brass assorted, Sine, steel plate, band

spoke Shaves, each Squaree, iron, each Soap, brown, ib. Sheep Shine, each Sauce pane, each Stove, eabin, each

Shot, round, 1b. Saw ettis, each Sounding ro r, each Stence, grin ling, carb " holy, each set, each Senttle Butt, 60 galle.

Stoppers, claw, 1b. Shevele, iron, sach Twine, whipping. b sewing, lb. cotton, lb

Tar, gall Turpentine, white, bbi. Tormentors, e ok's Thread, assorted colore

t n, each des. oil ground, lb. miver, dos. Tea spoons, German

> Tube boxee, leather, cach Tubes, quill, doz. Trucks, leading, briss Top manie, each

ench Trumpote, brase, lb. tin, each Thermometers, brass each tin,each Tongs, blanksmith's, ib Varnis , copa , gali.

Wood, Oak, sawed, and del vered, cord birch, " " cord maple, " cord yellow birch cord white birch

44 Whiting, 15. Pincers, each Facking hooks, !bs

nished by the Collector to those wishing to make proposals. EDWIN WILBUR, Collector proposals.

IF Having fitted up his shop in first rate order he is able to turn out large or small JOBS with neatness and dispatch, and on the most reasons ble terms. All those in want of such work, and respectfully invited to call and see for themselves N. B.—Building and Ropairing particulars

mon, th Water Cask, oak, 60 gall, each

kind, for strength and duribility

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" kry hole, each " tennon, excu " wood, each " compass tach Screw Drivers, cach

eca', eso " cannister, b. Shot boxes, saon

Scales and weight, aut

Thimb'es, open and welded , lb. Tallow, 1b.

Tewels, damask, vd. Tureen & Ladles, blook Tumbles, cut glam, Table spoons, German

Tin measures, set

Tea kettles, iron, each colbar.

bright, gall. black, gall.

sord pine, . cord spruce, " hemlock, cord Wrenches, wood, cash

Brenkers, oak 15 gall, each Wick, lamp, 1b.

unglazed; Blinds and Doors, -of various sizes -He also manufactures Lock Sashes, of a superior